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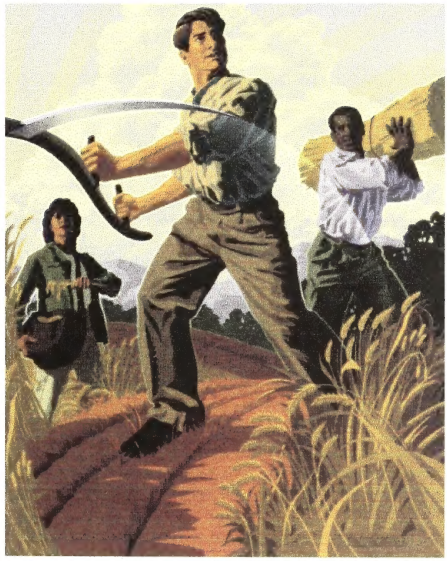

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One Hundred Sixty Eighth Annual Session

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LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
North Carolina
2000

One Hundred Sixty-Eighth Annual Session

October 2, 2000
CAROLINA MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Thomasville, North Carolina

October 3, 2000
ABBOTT'S CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH
High Point, North Carolina

January 15, 2001
Winter Quarterly Meeting
COGGINS MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Lexington North Carolina

April 9, 2001
Spring Quarterly Meeting
SOUTHGATE BAPTIST CHURCH
Thomasville North Carolina

July 9, 2001
Summer Quarterly Meeting
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Denton, North Carolina

Octocber 1, 2001
Fall Quarterly Meeting
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Welcome, North Carolina

Mission Statement:

To be a Spirit-led family of churches who train, counsel, encourage and assist each other in fulfilling the Great Commandment and Great Commission"

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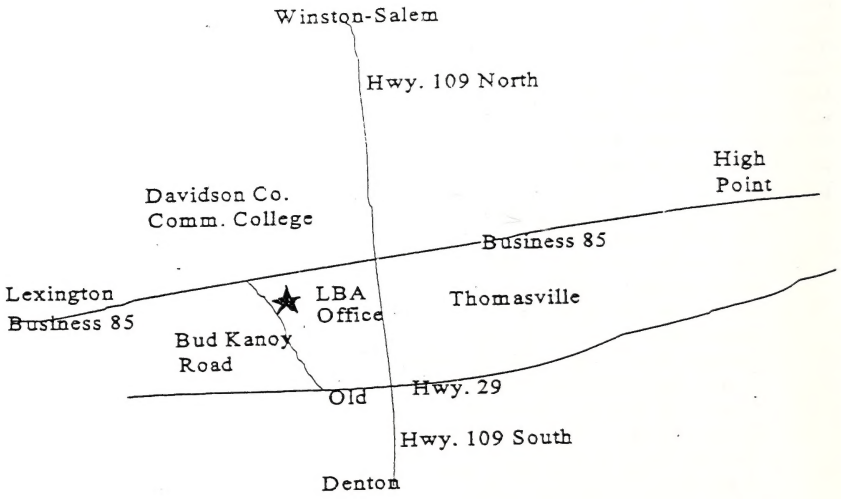

LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION OF NORTH CAROLINA
CALENDAR OF EVENTS - 2000-2001

SEPTEMBER, 2000

4 Labor Day Holiday (LBA office & BSCNC offices closed)
5 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
8-9 Equipping Today's Church, Ridgecrest
9 9:30 am-12:00 noon-Children in Action Day, Finch Park (Shelter #2), Lexington
10-17 Week of Prayer for NC Missions
12 1:30 pm-Annual Session Program Committee, Associational Office
12 7:00 pm-Auditing Committee, Associational Office
12 7:30 pm-Brotherhood/Baptist Men Leadership Team, Associational Office
15-16 NCBM Board Meeting, Baptist Building, Cary
17 Biblical Recorder Day
21 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
22-23 LAD/Crusader Camporee, Caraway Campgrounds
25 9:30 am-Evangelism Committee, Associational Office
25 10:30 am-Ministers' Conference, Associational Office

OCTOBER, 2000

Cooperative Program Month/Stewardship Emphasis Sunday
1 Soul Winning Commitment Day
2 2:45 & 6:20 pm-ANNUAL MEETING, Carolina Memorial Baptist Church, Thomasville
3 2:45 & 6:20 pm-ANNUAL MEETING, Abbotts Creek Baptist Church, High Point
6-7 GA Event, Mother/Daughter Camp at Mundo Vista
8 World Hunger Day
10 7:00 pm-Youth Ministries Committee, Hillside Park Baptist Church, Thomasville
12 7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office
13-14 Royal Ambassador Leadership Training, Caraway
13-14 *Pathfinders for the Future*, Statewide Deacon/Spouse Leadership Conference, Caraway
14 9:30 am-12:30 pm-Women on Mission Prayer Retreat, Center Hill
16 10:00 am-Associational Program Committee, Associational Office
16 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational
19 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
20-21 Literacy Missions Retreat, Caraway
20-21 Adult Campcraft Training, Caraway Campgrounds
21 10:00 am-3:00 pm-State Children in Action Day, Mundo Vista
23 10:30 am-Ministers' Conference, Associational Office
23 7:00 pm-Missions Development Committee, Associational Office
27-28 Conference on Addiction, Caraway
28 9:00 am-5:20 pm-Men's Ministry Conference, Green Street Baptist Church, High Point

NOVEMBER, 2000

5-11 Royal Ambassador Week in the Churches
6 Baptist Women's Day of Prayer (National Observance)
6 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
6-8 NC Baptist Secretaries Association Retreat, Caraway
8 10:00 am-Youth Ministries Committee, Associational Office
9 7:00 pm-WMU Leadership Team Meeting, Associational Office
10 7:00 pm-Acteens Lock-In, First Baptist Church, Welcome
10-12 NC Challenger Rally, Cornerstone Baptist Church, Charlotte - $25 per person
12-19 Week of Prayer & Special Offering for NC Baptist Children's Homes
13-15 NC Southern Baptist Convention Annual Meeting, Winston-Salem
14 7:00 pm-Youth Ministries Committee, Location TBA
16 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office

16 7:00-9:00 pm-*Every Member Training Night*, Rich Fork Baptist Church, Thomasville
17-19 NC Baptist Conference for the Deaf, Caraway
19-20 International Mission Study
20 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational
23-24 Thanksgiving Holidays (LBA office & BSCNC offices closed)
27 10:30 am-Ministers' Conference, Associational Office
27 7:00 pm-Executive Board Meeting (Tentative)

DECEMBER 2000

3-10 Week of Prayer for International Missions and Lottie Moon Christmas Offering
4 5:30 pm-Finance Committee Meeting, Associational Office
11 6:30 pm-Minister's Conference Christmas Banquet, Family Resource Center, Mills Home
12 7:00 pm-Youth Ministries Committee, Location TBA
18 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational
22,25,26 Christmas Holidays (LBA office & BSCNC offices closed)
30 10:00 am-12:00 noon-WMU Directors Discussion Group, Home of Judy Yarbrough
31-Jan 1 EXALT-New Year's Eve Celebration

JANUARY 2001

1 New Year's Holiday (LBA Office & BSCNC Offices closed)
4 7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office
8 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
8 7:00 pm-Personnel Committee, Associational Office
8-9 State Evangelism Conference, Biltmore Baptist Church, Asheville
9 7:00 pm-Youth Ministries Committee,
10 10:00 am-Evangelism Committee, Associational Office
11 7:00 pm-Missions Development Committee, Associational Office
15 6:30-8:30- *"Partners in the Harvest"* Winter Associational Meeting, Coggins Memorial Baptist Church, Lexington
18 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
22 10:30 am-Minister's Conference, Associational Office
22 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational
25 10:00 am-Evangelism Committee, Associational Office
25 Deadline for Summer Ministry Applications
26-27 NC Baptist Men's Convention, Raleigh
26-27 NC WMU Board Meeting, Cary
27 5:00-7:00 pm-Mission Friends Parent-Child Event, Liberty Baptist Church, Thomasville
28 Baptist Men's Day in the Churches
29 10:00 am-Associational Program Committee, Associational Office

FEBRUARY 2001

4-11 Week of Prayer and Special Offering for Baptist Retirement Homes
5 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
5 6:30 pm-Personnel Committee, Associational Office
10 Acteens Day at Campbell University
10 9:30 am-12:00 Noon-Children in Action "Valentines for Veterans" Activity, Trinity Baptist Church
12-18 WMU Focus Week
12 6:30 pm-Storage Building Committee, Associational Office
13 6:30 pm-Youth Ministries Committee, Associational Office
15 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
15 7:00 pm-WMU Leadership Team Meeting, Associational Office
18 Baptist Seminaries, Colleges and Universities Day
19 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational
19 7:00-8:00 pm-GA Leaders Fellowship & Training, First Baptist Church, Welcome
20 7:00 pm-VBS Early Planning Clinic, Carolina Memorial Baptist Church, Thomasville

23-24 How to Design a Web Page for Your Church, Lake Hickory Leadership Center
25 Volunteer in Missions Day
26 10:30 am-Minister's Conference, Associational Office

MARCH 2001

1 Camp Mundo Vista Summer Camp Registration Opens
4-11 Week of Prayer for North American Missions and Annie Armstrong Easter Offering
5 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
9-10 NC Baptist Men Board Meeting, Caraway
10 2:00 pm-Lads Car Races/Missions Fair, Liberty Baptist Church, Thomasville
10 6:00-10:00 pm-Youth on Missions/Acteens Coed Rally, Abbotts Creek Baptist Church
11 2:00 pm-Crusaders Car Races/Missions Fair, Liberty Baptist Church, Thomasville
12 7:00 pm-"New Work" Meeting, Associational Office
14 10:00 am-Evangelism Committee, Associational Office
15 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
16-17 CBF General Assembly (NC), Providence Church, Charlotte
17 12:30-3:00 pm-Senior Adult *"Spring Frolic"* & Lunch, New Friendship Baptist Church
19 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational
20 6:30 pm-Youth Ministries Committee, Liberty Baptist Church, Thomasville
23-25 WMU Missions Extravaganza #1, Ridgecrest
26 10:30 am-Minister's Conference, Associational Office
29 7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office
30-April 1 WMU Missions Extravaganza #2, Ridgecrest
31 Associational Bible Drill, Green Street Baptist Church, High Point
31 8:15 am-3:30 pm-Lad/Crusader Congress, Mills Home Campus, Thomasville

APRIL 2001

2 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
4 Registration Deadline for State Bible Drills/Speakers Tournaments
5 7:00 pm-Missions Development Committee, Associational Office
6-7 Baptist Missions Conference/Baptist Men's Convention, Raleigh
6-8 NC Media Library Workshop, Caraway
8 Cooperative Program Day
9 2:45 pm & 6:20 pm-Spring Associational Meeting, Southgate Baptist Church, Thomasville
10 6:30 pm-Youth Ministries Committee, Location TBA
11 Registration Deadline for State Bible Drills/Speakers Tournaments
12 Ethnic Ministries Mission Fair-Carolina Memorial Baptist Church, Thomasville
13 Lad/Crusader Congress
13 Easter Holiday (LBA office & BSCNC offices closed)
15 Easter
16 7:00 pm-Brotherhood/Baptist Men Leadership Team, Associational Office
16 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational
19 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
20 State Youth Bible Drills and Speakers Tournaments
20 or 21-GA Day Camp at Mundo Vista (Girls on Spring Break -choose Friday, April 20)
20-21 Interfaith Witness Seminar, Caraway
21 State Children's Bible Drills
21 8:30 am-Associational RA Track Meet, Central Davidson High School
22 EarthStewards Day
23 10:30 am-Minister's Conference, Associational Office
27 State Youth Bible Drills and Speakers Tournaments
27-28 Disaster Recovery Expo, Caraway
28 State Youth Bible Drills and Speakers Tournaments
28 State Children's Bible Drills
28 9:30am-12:30 pm-WMU Annual Meeting with Brunch, Hillside Park Baptist Church

MAY 2001

1 7:00 pm-Associational VBS Clinic, Carolina Memorial Baptist Church, Thomasville
4-5 Father/Son Weekend, Caraway
4-5 Adult Campcraft Training, Caraway Campgrounds
4-6 Youth on Mission/Acteens Convention, Caswell
5 Finalist Youth Bible Drills/Speakers Tournaments
5 9:00 am-12:00 Noon-Acteens Day in the Park, Finch Park, Lexington
6-13 Week of Prayer and Special Offering for Baptist Hospital
7 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
8 6:30 pm-Youth Ministries Committee, Location TBA
12 8:00-10:00 am Registration-State RA Track Meet, Eastern Randolph High School, Ramseur
14-15 Key Leadership Training, Ridgecrest
14-16 Spring Senior Adult Conference, Caraway
17 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
18-19 WMU Board Meeting, Mundo Vista
19 9:00 am-12:00 Noon-Mission Friends Day Camp, Liberty Baptist Church, Thomasville
21 10:30 am-Minister's Conference, Associational Office
21 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational
21-27 National Associational Emphasis Week
28 Memorial Day Holiday (LBA office & BSCNC offices closed)

JUNE 2001

Vacation Bible Schools (June - August)
GA Summer Camp Opportunities-June 11-15; 18-22; 25-29; July 16-20; 23-27; 31-August 3
4 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
10-11 SBC WMU Annual Meeting, New Orleans
11 Caraway Summer Camp for boys opens
12-13 Southern Baptist Convention, New Orleans
12 7:00 pm-Youth Ministries Committee, Location TBA
18 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational
21 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
22-23 WMU Associational Leadership Team Training, Caraway
25 10:30 am-Minister's Conference, Associational Office
28 7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office
28-30 CBS General Assembly (National), Georgia World Congress Center, Atlanta, GA

JULY 2001

2 July 4th Holiday (LBA office & BSCNC offices closed)
3 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
3 7:00 pm-Brotherhood/Baptist Men's Leadership Team, Associational Office
5 7:00 pm-Missions Development Committee, Associational Office
9 Summer Associational Meeting, First Baptist Church, Denton
9-14 World Missions Week
10 7:00 pm-Youth Ministries Committee, Location TBA
16 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational
20-22 Bivocational Ministers Retreat, Caraway
23-25 SUPER REACH 2001 - Charlotte/Concord Area
26-27 SUPER SUMMER 2001-Carowinds, Charlotte

AUGUST 2001

3-4 Church Brotherhood Leadership Training, Caraway
6 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
7 6:30 pm-Church Clerk's Conference, Associational Office
14 7:00 pm-Youth Ministries Committee, Location TBA
17-18 Lay Witnessing Conference, Caraway
20 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational

27 10:30 am-Minister's Conference, Associational Office
27 7:00-9:00 pm-WMU/Brotherhood Leadership Training, Location TBA

SEPTEMBER 2001

3 Labor Day Holiday (LBA office & BSCNC offices closed)
4 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
7-8 **E**quipping **T**oday's **C**hurch (ETC) Conference, Ridgecrest
9-16 Week of Prayer and North Carolina Missions Offering
11 7:00 pm-Youth Ministries Committee, Location TBA
14-15 Sunday School Leadership Training Conference, Caraway
14-15 Lad/Crusader Camporee, Caraway Campgrounds
14-15 NC Baptist Men's Board Meeting, Baptist Building, Cary
14-15 WMU Board Meeting, Mundo Vista
17 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational
20 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
20 7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office
21-22 Lad/Crusader Camporee, Caraway Campgrounds
27 7:00 pm-Missions Development Committee, Associational Office
28-29 NC WMU Women's Conference, Hickory Grove Baptist Church, Charlotte

OCTOBER 2001

Cooperative Program Month/Stewardship Emphasis (all of October)
1 Fall Associational Meeting, First Baptist Church, Welcome
8 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
8 7:30 pm-Brotherhood/Baptist Men Leadership Team, Associational Office
9 7:00 pm-Youth Ministries Committee, Location TBA
12-13 Royal Ambassador Leadership Training, Caraway
14 World Hunger Day
15 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational
18 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
19-20 Adult Campcraft Training, Caraway Campgrounds
19-20 Literacy Missions Retreat, Caraway
21-24 *"Jesus: The Light of the World"* -Association-Wide Simultaneous Revivals
22 10:30 am-Minister's Conference, Associational Office
26-27 Conference on Addictions, Caraway

NOVEMBER 2001

4-10 Royal Ambassador Week in the Churches
5 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
5 Baptist Women's Day of Prayer
12-14 NC Southern Baptist Convention Annual Meeting, Winston-Salem
12-19 Week of Prayer and Special Offering for Baptist Children's Homes
13 7:00 pm-Youth Ministries Committee, Location TBA
15 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
19 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational
22-23 Thanksgiving Holiday (LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION office & BSCNC offices closed)
26 10:30 am-Minister's Conference, Associational Office

DECEMBER 2001

2-9 Week of Prayer for International Missions & Lottie Moon Christmas Offering
3 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
10 6:30 pm-Minister's Conference Christmas Banquet, Location TBA
11 7:00 pm-Youth Ministries Committee, Location TBA
17 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational
24,25,26 Christmas Holidays (LBA office & BSCNC offices closed)

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CHURCHES TO ENTERTAIN THE ASSOCIATION

2000	First Day - Carolina Memorial	Second Day - Abbotts Creek
2001	January 15 - Winter Meeting - Coggins Memorial, Lexington	
	April 9 - Spring Meeting - Southgate, Thomasville	
	July 9 - Summer Meeting - First Baptist, Denton	
	October 1 - Fall Meeting - First Baptist, Welcome	

HISTORICAL EVENTS

Abbotts Creek: Events in 1999 - On September 29, church voted to purchase a new copier for the church. Raised money and sent a mission team to South Africa for Church Construction work at Mogogelo Baptist Church. Betsy Leach returned to Africa on a mission trip by herself. Sent several work teams to Eastern North Carolina. Tarboro First Baptist Church in Tarboro was the head quarters for the teams. One team went to Mount Holly Baptist Church, Burgaw, NC, with 9 members on October 1999. One team, 14 members, left December 26 and returned December 29. Events in 2000 - Several times during the year, teams went to Eastern NC, to clean and rebuild a house that was destroyed by flood waters. Team of 8 went to Nevis to build a house that was paid for by members of the church. The Labor of Love Ministry continues to give food and clothing to the needy on the first and third Mondays of each month. Job Descriptions were approved for all committees of the church. A Pastor Search Committee was elected on April 12 to find a full time pastor. Committee members are: Hugh Motsinger, Laurence Todd, Crystal Myers, Evva Spurgeon, Sherri Byrd, Kandi Stilley, John Hedgecock, and Russell Fox. Elected a Land Use Study Committee to review the feasibility of available building areas on our current church property. Voted to let the Davidson County Board of Elections use the Fellowship Hall as a voting place. Through the T-team a Mission Statement was established for the church. Paved a driveway in the graveyard, by a gift from one member.

Purchased a new Duplicator for the Media Center. Received a parcel of land from the Abbotts Creek Primitive Baptist Church and a parcel of land from Larry and Libby Essick to make the graveyard larger. Developed and adopted a church organizational chart. Had a one day "Operation-In-As-Much" with 75 to 100 people working together in mission efforts for the community. Sent a team of four to Arnoldsburg, West Virginia, and a team of seven to Blackwolf, West Virginia on VBS mission trips in June, 2000. A team of eight went to Honduras to help build homes and witness for Christ through VBS. Voted to purchase a Mini Bus for the church. Began a Youth/Parent Assisted Program in our youth department. Baptist Men and Women held various fund raising projects.

Amity: Debt on church van was paid in August, 2000. A cement slab was poured for a barbeque pit and grill area in September, 2000.

Carolina Memorial: In June, 2000, the church entered into a co-sponsorship with Rich Fork Baptist Church to start the Hispanic Baptist Mission of Thomasville.

Cedar Lodge: Members participated in mission trips to West Virginia and East St. Louis, IL. Dr. Russell Brownworth came as new pastor on April 23, 2000. Church-wide cookout was held at Dan Nicholas Park.

Center Hill: Rev. Leonard Rollins served as Interim Pastor from June 1, 1999 until July 23, 2000. On July 24, 2000, Rev. Layne Wallace began as new pastor of the church.

Central: Dedication of new church building was held on June 25, 2000.

Churchland: In April, 2000, a ground-breaking ceremony was held for the new educational building.

Coggins Memorial: KIDS CLUB was begun on October 24, 1999, with an enrollment of 37. Pastor moved from the parsonage into his new home. Celebrated the 5th Anniversary of church Day Care.

Colonial: A new building, fellowship hall and six Sunday School rooms, were dedicated in April, 2000.

Faith: Rev. Trevor Foster began his ministry as pastor on May 7, 2000. The fellowship hall and vestibule were renovated.

Greenwood: The parking lot was resurfaced and relined. The sanctuary was repainted, old carpet was replaced with new, and the pews were repositioned.

Holloways: Puppet Ministry was begun.

Jersey: Church members participated in the "Partnership with Eastern North Carolina Flood Relief," adopting a family and sending crews to work on a regular basis. Michael James Smith, a young man who grew up in Jersey Baptist Church, and recent graduate of Gardner-Webb Divinity School, was ordained into the ministry on August 13, 2000. He is presently serving as pastor of Bethel Baptist Church in Bethel, NC.

Lakeview: In October, 1999, a new sound system was installed in the sanctuary.

Liberty: Rev. Bill Salley came to Liberty Baptist Church as Minister of Music and Youth.

Lick Creek: A church van was purchased.

New Friendship: Debt for land was liquidated and the Fellowship Hall was paid for in June. The church is now debt-free.

Park Place: Began renovation of the fellowship hall.

Rich Fork: Partnered with Carolina Memorial Baptist Church to start Hispanic Mission. Disaster Relief program was begun.

Southgate: Church debt was paid in full on August 10, 2000.

Southside: Debt was paid on church van and a handicap ramp was built.

Stoner's Grove: Celebrated 100th Anniversary and Homecoming on September 24, 2000. Church Workers Consecration Ceremony and Ordination of Eric Freeman as Deacon was held September 3. 28 Holiday food baskets were delivered to shut-ins and needy. Revival was held October, 1999. 59 enrolled in VBS.

Summerville: Rev. Flynn Richardson became pastor of Summerville Baptist Church November 14, 1999.

Trinity: FAITH team training was begun. A dedication ceremony for new church pews was held.

Welcome, First: Several members were involved in mission trips during the year. Eleven Baptist Men assisted flood victims (adopted a family and repaired homes) in Eastern North Carolina. Six adults and 20 youth attended Missionfuge in Philadelphia; Carol Ann Yarbrough served nine months in East Asia through Campus Crusade for Christ, and returned in September, 2000, for another ten-month term; Martha Dawson, a youth in the church, went to Australia and New Guinea; during the summer, Lindy Flowers, a college student, served with a missions team in California; Joy Turner, a college student, worked with a missions team in Guatemala during spring break; and Joy Turner and Amy Jenkins served as Camp Counselors at Mundo Vista. Gloria Carrick completed 30 years in music ministry for the church.

Program

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CAROLINA MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Thomasville, North Carolina

Monday Afternoon, October 2, 2000

2:45 Musical Prelude
3:00 Opening Prayer - Singing of Hymns
3:05 Organization:
1. Constitution of the Body ..... Markus Sink
2. Welcome of Host Church ..... Stuart White
3. Adoption of Program ..... Ray Howell, III
4. Election of Clerk ..... Roy Cantrell

3:10 Theme Interpretation ..... Charlotte Cook
3:20 Recognitions:
New Pastors and Staff ..... Markus Sink
New Hispanic Church
3:25 Sunday School Committee Report ..... David Shaffer
Vacation Bible School Report ..... Stuart White
3:35 Treasurer's Report ..... Raleigh York, Jr.
Auditing Committee Report ..... Jerry Gardner
3:45 Annuity Board Report ..... Johnny Ross
3:55 Evangelism Council Report ..... Michael Collier
4:05 Nominating Committee Report ..... Roy Cantrell
4:10 Hymn
4:15 Miscellaneous Business
Committee on Nominations ..... R. N. Hardin
4:20 North Carolina Baptist Hospital ..... Bill Yates
4:30 Special Music
4:40 Message ..... Max Lennon
5:10 Blessing-Adjourn for Evening Meal

Monday Evening, October 2, 2000

6:20 Opening Prayer - Singing of Hymns
6:25 Theme Interpretation ..... Steve Martin
6:35 History:
Carolina Memorial Baptist Church ..... Vernelle Greene
6:45 Executive Board Recommendation ..... Markus Sink
7:00 Discipleship Training Council ..... Stuart White
7:05 Finance Committee Report/Adoption of Budget ..... Jimmy Lawson
7:15 Administrative Leadership Team Report ..... Morris Hollifield
7:25 Hymn
7:30 Prison Ministry Report ..... Michael Lee
7:40 Missions Development Committee ..... Gary Myers

7:50 Special Music
8:05 Message ..... Jack L. Gentry, Sr.
8:30 Prayer and Adjourn

ABBOTTS CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH

High Point, North Carolina

Tuesday Afternoon, October 3, 2000

2:45 Musical Prelude
3:00 Opening Prayer - Singing of Hymns
3:05 Welcome of Host Church ..... Lee Stocks
3:10 Theme Interpretation ..... Steve Martin
3:20 Presentation of Reports:
1. Resolutions Committee ..... Lionel Wall
2. Place and Preacher Committee ..... Lowell Askins
3:30 Memorials Service ..... Charles Dickens
3:40 Hymn
3:45 Miscellaneous Business
3:50 Baptist Children's Homes of NC, Inc. Report ..... C. F. McDowell
4:15 Recognition of Institutional & Denominational Representatives ..... Moderator
4:20 Seminary Extension ..... Charles Tanner
4:30 Reading of Scripture ..... Greg Barefoot
4:35 Special Music
4:45 Message ..... E. Mark Blair
5:10 Blessing - Adjourn for Evening Meal

Tuesday Evening, October 3, 2000

6:20 Opening Prayer - Singing of Hymns
6:25 Theme Interpretation ..... Steve Martin
6:35 History:
Abbotts Creek Baptist Church ..... Vernelle Greene
6:45 Hymn
6:50 Volunteers in Missions Recognition Service
Brotherhood Ministry ..... Michael Rinehardt
Volunteer Missions/Partnership ..... Roy Cantrell
Woman's Missionary Union ..... Judy Yarbrough
7:40 Special Music
7:50 Message ..... Bobby Stafford
8:20 Installation of 2000-2001 Officers
8:30 Prayer and Adjourn

Proceedings

One Hundred Sixty-Eighth Annual Session

Liberty Baptist Association

Monday Afternoon, October 2, 2000

CAROLINA MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Thomasville, North Carolina

"To be a Spirit-led family of churches who train, counsel, encourage, and assist each other in fulfilling the Great Commandment and the Great Commission." This is the Mission Statement earlier adopted by Liberty Baptist Association, and is the theme for the 168th Annual Session.

Rev. Markus Sink, Moderator, called the 168th Annual Session to order and led in prayer. Special prayer request was made for the Director of Missions, Michael R. Ester, who is in the High Point Hospital. Mike Russell, Music Director for Carolina Memorial Baptist Church, led in singing "Revive Us Again" and "Blessed Assurance." Motion was made, seconded, and passed that those members who had registered and who would register throughout the meetings would constitute the body. Rev. Stuart White, pastor of host church, welcomed everyone to Carolina Memorial Baptist Church in Thomasville.

Chairman of the Annual Session Program Committee, Dr. Ray Howell, III, stated that the Director of Missions, Michael R. Ester, had been scheduled to give the message on Tuesday evening, but because of his illness is unable to be present. Rev. Bobby Stafford with the Baptist State Convention of NC, has agreed to speak. We appreciate his willingness to do so on such short notice. Dr. Howell made a motion to adopt the program as printed. The motion was seconded and passed. Janet Sharpe, member of the Nominating Committee, nominated Mrs. Gail S. Beck to serve as Associational Clerk for 2000-2001, and the motion passed.

The **Theme Interpretation,** based on the Mission Statement, was presented by Charlotte Cook, a member of the Administrative Leadership Team. She was assisted in her presentation by Pam Shoaf of Jersey Baptist Church. They discussed the Mission Statement and how it applies to churches, individuals, and the association.

The Moderator asked if there were new pastors or staff members present. Mr. Brian Butler, new Youth Minister at Southgate Baptist Church, was introduced. Rev. Stuart White shared information about the new Hispanic Mission which is being sponsored by Carolina Memorial and Rich Fork churches. Rev. Tino Yanez is the pastor of the mission which meets on Sunday afternoons at Carolina Memorial. The mission decided from the very beginning to tithe 10% of offerings received, with 7% going to the Cooperative Program and 3% to Associational missions.

The **Sunday School Committee** report was presented by Chairman, Rev. David Shaffer. A Pastor/Sunday School Director workshop was held on May 18, 2000, at Coggins Memorial Baptist Church with 34 people attending, representing seven churches of the association. The purpose of the workshop was to help leaders understand the change in the curriculum of the Sunday School literature. Members of the Sunday School Committee are always available to member churches to answer questions or give training as needed. Rev. Stuart White, Associational VBS Director, reported that the **Vacation Bible School** clinics had a total attendance of 181. 38 of the 42 churches in our association conducted Vacation Bible School this year, with a total enrollment of 4,894, the largest in several years. There were 87 professions of faith made during VBS. Rev. White expressed appreciation to those who served on the Associational VBS Team, as well as all the VBS Directors and workers in the churches. Both the Sunday School report and the VBS reports were approved.

The **Treasurer's Report** was presented by Treasurer, Raleigh York, Jr. An amount of $12,000 was transferred from the general fund to a Designated Fund named New Work. This money will be used to fund new church starts in our association. By vote of the association at an Executive Board meeting, the amount of $9,216.52, North Carolina State Missions Offerings, was transferred from account #23 into Building Fund account #36 for the construction of a storage building at the site of the associational office. The Treasurer's report was approved as printed in the Book of Reports. The Treasurer added that account #13 is designated as a fund to raise the needed money to purchase a van for the Christian Activity Center in East St. Louis, IL. Since the printing of the report, this amount has increased from $1,580 to $4,055. The **Auditing Committee**

report was presented by Jerry Gardner, Chairman. This committee has documented each voucher for association expenses and each check which was written, verifying that the correct account was shown and that it was an approved expense. The bank accounts have been verified and the committee is satisfied that all reports represent a true and proper balance for the association. It is the feeling of the Auditing Committee that a financial review of all records is sufficient and an outside audit is not needed. Appreciation was expressed to Raleigh York, Jr. for his work as Treasurer. This report was approved as presented.

Johnny Ross, **Annuity Board** representative, emphasized the pastor's need for financial planning, using the scripture from Jeremiah 29:11. God wants the very best for all of His created beings. The Annuity Board has a plan for pastors, church staff members, and all employees of the churches. Anyone receiving taxable income from a church is eligible. In Liberty Baptist Association 65% of the churches actively participate in the Annuity plans. Those who are currently participating were recognized.

Rev. Michael Collier, Chairman, presented the **Evangelism Committee** report. The Evangelism Committee is challenging our associational churches to hold simultaneous revivals in October, 2001. The churches must vote in church conferences to participate in these revivals. We need to strive to get all of our churches involved so we can reach those in Davidson County who are unchurched. This report was approved.

The **Nominating Committee** report was presented by Janet Sharpe, a member of the committee. The report was approved as printed in the Book of Reports.

Since the program was running ahead of schedule, Rev. Charles Tanner presented the **Seminary Extension** report. A portion of the Mission Statement mentions "to train." One of the resources we have for training is through the Seminary Extension program. Seminary Extension allows people who are 16 years of age and older to study, either in a group, or individually. These courses may be transferred to a college level. For instance, Judson College in Alabama will accept up to 30 hours of Seminary Extension work. Teachers must be approved by the Seminary Extension Department according to the courses which will be taught. Our ministry has been limited to the courses being taught at the Davidson County Correctional Center for Men. Chaplain Michael Lee is currently teaching a course on Amos. Anyone interested in teaching may complete the form which will be available or contact the associational office. This report was approved.

Mike Russell led in singing the hymn "The Servant's Song." **Miscellaneous Business:** Rev. R. N. Hardin, Chairman of the **Committee on Nominations**, made a motion for the following people to serve on the Nominating Committee for 2000-2001: Jack Rose (Abbotts Creek Baptist Church), Chairman; Chris Hawks (Lakeview Baptist Church), Donna Best (Stoner's Grove Baptist Church), Vernelle Greene (Churchland Baptist Church), and Anita Bunce (Coggins Memorial Baptist Church). There being no other nominations, the motion passed. Michael Collier, Pastor of Jersey Baptist Church, said there were three groups sent to the Christian Activity Center this year, and he was a part of one of those groups. Those who went saw first hand the need for dependable transportation. There were 108 children and they had to depend on borrowed vehicles for transportation. Church members have been collecting Campbell Soup labels for a long time trying to collect enough labels to receive a van given by the Campbell Soup Company, and we only have a quarter of the labels needed. Rev. Collier made a motion that a special offering be taken on Tuesday evening with all proceeds going towards the purchase of a van for the Christian Activity Center. Motion was seconded and passed unanimously. Gail Beck, Clerk, reminded all present that they need to register for the meeting if they have not done so.

Moderator Mark Sink requested that the hymn "Victory in Jesus" be sung. After the hymn, Bill Yates presented the report from the **North Carolina Baptist Hospitals.**

Anita Bunce, Associational Music Director, introduced the Mars Hill College Chapel Singers, under the direction of Bob Heritage, accompanied by Paula Demsey. Following the musical presentation, Dr. Ray Howell, III, introduced Dr. Max Lennon, President of Mars Hill College, who gave the message for the afternoon session.

A prayer for the evening meal was offered by Rev. Stuart White.

Monday Evening, October 2, 2000
CAROLINA MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Thomasville, North Carolina

Dr. Steve Martin presented the **Theme Interpretation** and was assisted by Dr. Ray Howell, III. Their humorous presentation emphasized the fact that few changes have occurred in the association over the past few years, and perhaps there is need for change. Mike Russell led in singing a medley of hymns, "Since Jesus Came Into My Heart," "Precious Lord, Take My Hand," "I'll Fly Away," and "The Longer I Serve Him." Moderator Mark Sink introduced Mrs. Lynn Ester, and requested that prayers continue for Rev. Michael Ester, Director of Missions, for the restoration of his health. Rev. Charles Tanner offered the prayer for the afternoon session. Vernelle Greene, Associational Historian, shared the history of the host church, Carolina Memorial Baptist Church.

An **Executive Board Recommendation** was presented by Mark Sink. At the Executive Board meeting on August 21, 2000, Ray Howell, III, Chairman of the Annual Meeting Program Committee, made a motion for Liberty Baptist Association to change from one annual meeting per year to four quarterly meetings. This would give more time for information and inspiration. This motion is now coming from the Executive Board and if adopted, this would be the schedule for 2001:

Winter Meeting - January 15, 2001, an evening session.
Spring Meeting - April 9, 2001, afternoon session, a meal, and an evening session.
Summer Meeting - July 9, 2001, an evening session
Fall Meeting - October 1, 2001, afternoon session, a meal, and an evening session.

The associational year would remain as it is and the Annual Church Profiles would be the same. If this motion carries, the Executive Board will cease to exist and the messengers will be the governing body, serving throughout the year. The Place and Preacher Committee will announce at a later time on the program those four churches who have agreed to host the meetings, and the ministers who will bring the messages. The evening only sessions can be hosted by those churches who may not have facilities to provide a meal. Rev. Stuart White said he had served in a previous association which had quarterly meetings and it was very effective. One important reason to change to this format is that it allows messengers to be informed throughout the year about the business and voting matters of the association. The motion passed.

The **Discipleship Training** report was presented by Rev. Stuart White and was approved. This year there were two churches involved in Bible Drills, Carolina Memorial and First Baptist, Welcome. There are other churches who are interested in Bible Drills and we hope they will become involved during this year.

Jimmy Lawson, Chairman, presented the report from the **Finance Committee** and the Budget for 2000-2001. Each committee was contacted and asked for the amount their committee would need in the Budget. Churches were also contacted to determine the amount of income which could be anticipated. The budget was approved as presented and printed in the Book of Reports.

The **Administrative Leadership Team** report was shared by Chairman, Rev. Morris Hollifield. "Because this is the last time a report will be brought to the Messengers from this team, it seems appropriate to express gratitude to several very special people. (1) Mrs. Gail Beck, serving as clerk and secretary in our Associational Office, has provided secretarial and background information. Her knowledge of churches and people proved invaluable. Her spirit of helpfulness and prayerful support gave encouragement to our work. We are especially grateful for what she did. (2) The Reverend Bill Morrow was serving as Chairman of the Personnel Committee when the Administrative Leadership Team was elected. We desperately needed his input when we met for the first sessions. Several times some legal questions arose. Bill had wrestled with some of these issues in earlier days, and was able to provide guidance. Because his work with the Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina had taken him across the state, he knew pastors personally, and he had a working relationship already established with institutions and agencies. This knowledge and established trust served us well, and Bill continued to meet with us until he suffered a stroke in January of this year. He was not a member of the Team, but we had the privilege of enlisting help from appropriate sources. Bill provided information, served as our contact for legal assistance, and helped us contact denominational sources of support. Our undying gratitude is hereby expressed to Bill. (3) Aldeen Robbins was elected as Chairman of the Personnel Committee in the fall of 1998. During early 1999 his committee and the Administrative Leadership Team worked very closely in calling an Interim Associational Missionary. I am personally grateful to Brother Robbins for outstanding Lay Leadership. (4) Gratitude is expressed to Byron

Barker, Charlotte Cook, Charles Dickens, Brooks Hunt, Steve Martin, Davis McGuirt, and Bill Reese. These people have surely represented our churches to the best of their ability, under the leadership of the Holy Spirit, and with the encouragement of dear church members. These individuals became an excellent team. (5) It is imperative that we thank our Moderator, Brother Mark Sink, for his support and cooperation. Any recommendations our Team offered were channeled through the Executive Committee. The Moderator was always open to these requests, and to my knowledge, every request was processed favorably. We are grateful for this kind of support and cooperative leadership. (6) Finally, but not least, is our expression of appreciation to the churches of the Liberty Baptist Association. When we were behind in our finances, we told the churches. Several churches immediately sent substantial gifts. We moved to the point of paying obligations on time, covered some bad debts, and today our Treasurer can shift funds, upon your authorization, to mission opportunities which arise. Thank you, churches, for your trust, your prayers, and your financial support. The crowning message of this report is to tell you the Team has finished its work. We have literally worked ourselves out of a job. We trust our service has been adequate to accomplish the hopes of the Association, and has been humbly rendered to the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ. Thank you for this opportunity for ministry." The report from the Administrative Leadership Team was approved.

Moderator Mark Sink expressed appreciation to the Administrative Leadership Team for their work on behalf of the association. Clerk Gail Beck announced that the number registered after the dinner hour was 214. Prayer requests were made for Brenda Emmons, member of Cedar Lodge Baptist Church and Rev. Bill Freeman, pastor of Clearview Baptist Church. Mike Russell led in singing the hymn "All That Thrills My Soul Is Jesus."

Chaplain Michael Lee brought greetings from 244 men in the Davidson Correctional Center for Men in his report about **Prison Ministry**. Chaplain Lee expressed gratitude for the care extended to the prison in the area of Seminary Extension, educating some of the men and helping them to prepare for life outside the walls of the prison. Appreciation was expressed for the Christmas Gift Bags given to the inmates, and for the financial support given to the prison by the association and member churches. The Davidson Chaplaincy Association has been in place since 1985, supported solely by 31 of the 378 churches in Davidson County. Rev. Morris Hollifield is presently serving as President of the Davidson Chaplaincy Association, and Bob and Sarah Knapp, members of Jersey Baptist Church, serve as Treasurers.

Clerk Gail Beck announced a total of 241 were registered. In a point of personal privilege, Mrs. Beck thanked everyone for electing her to serve as Associational Clerk and for allowing her to be the Associational Secretary. She expressed appreciation for all the support given to the association during the past year and invited those who have not been to the associational office to come by for a visit and see the resources available. "Literature is shipped from our association office to various areas of the United States, and some of this literature is then shipped throughout the world. Because of what we do here, someone in another part of the world may come to know Christ!" Mrs. Beck asked people to continue to pray for the association, the churches, and especially for Mike and Lynn Ester. "Pray for their house to sell that they may be able to start their life anew here. Many of you may not know that Mike came very close to death. One of our pastors remarked, 'God did not bring Mike here to die. He is not finished with him yet, nor with the work he has to do in our Association.' Please continue your prayers."

Rev. Gary Myers, Chairman of the **Missions Development Committee**, expressed gratitude to Dr. Jack Gentry, Sr., for his guidance and knowledge during the time we were trying to adopt the Mission Statement. "The committee was united in seeking the best Mission Statement which would represent our association. Even after the Executive Board adopted the Mission Statement, we came back and asked each individual member of this committee what it meant to them personally. We spent a long time searching our hearts to determine the impact on us as individuals, and hopefully and prayerfully, we hope it will impact not only those people in our association, but throughout the world because of our commitment to the statement. We met with our new Director of Missions and he asked that we be visionary in our plans. One of the areas in which he encouraged us is to plan for New Work and to tithe our portion of undesignated monies. During one of our meetings, we discussed the need for a van at the Christian Activity Center. Not all of the members of the Missions Development Committee were present, but after discussing this problem and then praying together, the committee members began to make financial commitments towards the purchase of a van, and we raised $1,000 before we left the meeting that night. We believe this is a tremendous need and our association can meet this need. We believe God provided a dealer to purchase this

van on a cost only basis. We believe this van can be a reality by the end of our associational meeting." Rev. Myers expressed appreciation to the association and to the members who serve on the Missions Development Committee. The report was approved as presented.

Special music was presented by the choir of Carolina Memorial Baptist Church. Scripture from Luke 23:44-56, was read by Traci Williamson, and a youth of the church had a presentation with sign language, using the music, "Arise, My Love" by NewSong.

Moderator Mark Sink announced that Park Place Baptist Church will host four churches from the Thomasville community in *"Partners in the Harvest"* meetings. On Sunday, Octocber 22nd Colonial Baptist Church; Monday, October 23rd Liberty Baptist Church; Tuesday, October 24th Carolina Memorial Baptist Church; and Wednesday, October 25th Oak Hill Memorial Baptist Church. Anyone who would like to come will be welcome.

Rev. Sink introduced Dr. Jack L. Gentry, Sr., former Interim Associational Missionary, who had the message for the evening. Dr. Gentry said the purpose of his sermon was to clarify the basis of teamwork within the churches and between the churches. Scripture passage was read from Acts 15:1-2. The evening meeting was adjourned with prayer by Rev. Lee Stocks.

Tuesday Afternoon, October 3, 2000
ABBOTTS CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH
High Point, North Carolina

Moderator Mark Sink called the meeting to order and called on Dr. Steve Martin to have the opening prayer. Rev. David Clemens led in singing of hymns, "Love Lifted Me" and "The Solid Rock." Rev. Lee Stocks, Interim Pastor of Abbotts Creek Baptist Church, and Rev. Jack Rose, Associate Pastor, welcomed everyone to the second day of the Annual Meeting. The **Theme Interpretation** was presented by Dr. Steve Martin, who used a camera to take pictures of various individuals and the congregation. Later he revealed that he did not have the one necessary ingredient for pictures...film. Pictures may capture the moment but it is the incarnate word that lives and lasts a lifetime. The prayer is that our association will capture the reality of what we teach, as churches, as Christians, and as an association; and that we will live as witnesses for all that God has called us to be: "To be a Spirit-led family of churches, who train, counsel, encourage, and assist each other in fulfilling the Great Commandment and the Great Commission!"

Moderator Mark Sink apologized for omitting the list of **New Pastors and Staff, 1999-2000,** in the meeting at Carolina Memorial. The following individuals were recognized: Dr. Russell Brownworth, Pastor, Cedar Lodge Baptist Church; Rev. Layne Wallace, Pastor, Center Hill Baptist Church; Mr. Ray Howell, IV, Part-Time Minister of Youth, Churchland Baptist Church; Rev. Trevor Foster, Pastor, Faith Baptist Church; Mr. Mark Robert Kemp, Minister of Music, First Baptist Church, Lexington; Rev. Bill Salley, Minister of Music and Youth, Liberty Baptist Church; Rev. John Kroh, Pastor, Mountain View Baptist Church; Rev. Dale Parsley, Minister of Music, North Lexington Baptist Church; Rev. Ron Blakley, Pastor, Southside Baptist Church; Rev. Flynn Richardson, Pastor, Summerville Baptist Church; Ms. Susan Campbell, Interim Music Director, First Baptist Church, Thomasville; and Rev. Phillip Morrow, Pastor, Victory Baptist Church. Rev. Tino Yanez, Pastor of the Hispanic Mission was also introduced.

Associational Clerk, Gail S. Beck, announced that the total attendance for the previous day was 245, with 25 pastors present and 33 churches represented. A total of $225 was collected for the Christian Activity Center van and another opportunity will be provided if anyone would like to make a donation.

Mr. Lionel Wall, Chairman, presented the following report from the **Resolutions Committee:**
BE IT RESOLVED that this committee, on behalf of the 42 churches of Liberty Baptist Association, whose messengers met in the 168th Annual Session, October 2-3, 2000, offer the following:

WHEREAS our host churches, Carolina Memorial Baptist Church, Thomasville, and Abbotts Creek Baptist Church, High Point, have graciously provided their beautiful facilities to insure a caring and friendly atmosphere;

AND WHEREAS the Annual Session Program Committee has provided us with the theme based on our Mission Statement: *"To be a Spirit-led family of churches who train, counsel, encourage and assist each other in fulfilling the Great Commandment and the Great Commission!* " Outstanding speakers and leaders having been selected for these sessions of the Annual Meeting;

THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we commend our Moderator, Markus Sink; Vice

Moderator, Robert Floyd; Clerk, Gail Beck; and Treasurer, Raleigh York, Jr., for an outstanding church and associational year of 1999-2000.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we express our appreciation to the members of the Administrative Leadership Team who have served faithfully through August 21, 2000: Morris Hollifield, Chairman; Charlotte Cook, Charles Dickens, Brooks Hunt (through January 17, 2000), Bill Reece, Byron Barker and Steve Martin (January 17, 2000 through August 21, 2000). The Administrative Leadership Team has devoted many hours in assistance to the Interim Associational Missionary and the Director of Missions, and acted in an advisory capacity in matters of associational business.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we again express our appreciation to Dr. Jack L. Gentry, Sr., who served as Interim Association Missionary from April 5, 1999 until May 14, 2000. His leadership helped our association establish integrity and trust among the pastors and churches of Liberty Baptist Association.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we express our sincere appreciation to the Director of Missions Search Committee: Rev. Markus Sink, Moderator and Committee Chairman; Dr. Robert Floyd, Vice Moderator; Mr. Raleigh York, Jr., Assistant Clerk; Mrs. Esther House, Treasurer; Mrs. Vernelle Greene; Rev. Lamar Moore; Mr. Michael Rinehardt; Rev. Charles Tanner; Rev. Stuart White; and Dr. Jack L. Gentry, Jr., Ex-Officio Member. We thank them for their prayerful diligence, unity, hard work and commitment to God's plan in calling Rev. Michael R. Ester as Director of Missions for Liberty Baptist Association.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we express our appreciation to all churches who have participated in partnership missions, disaster relief, and ministries within the United States and other areas of our world. We further express our thankfulness for those individuals and churches who have shared with those in Eastern North Carolina, helping them to rebuild, not only their homes, but their lives.

THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we, the messengers of Liberty Baptist Association hereby: (1) Express our appreciation to each member of the various committees and councils for their labor of love in carrying out the responsibility they accepted to further the Lord's work in our association and the churches; (2) Express our appreciation to the messengers who attended the 168th Annual Session, with the hope that they will give information obtained to their church membership and encourage them to accept the challenge of our Mission Statement: *"To be a Spirit-led family of churches who train, counsel, encourage and assist each other in fulfilling the Great Commandment and the Great Commission!"*

Respectfully submitted, 1999-2000 Resolutions Committee
Lionel Wall, Chairman
Chuck Garner
Billy King
Doris Lopp
Steve Martin

The **Place and Preacher Committee** report was given by Rev. Lowell Askins, Chairman. The committee met on July 13, 2000, to discuss the possibility of changing to Quarterly meetings. In the event the recommendation from the Executive Board to change to the quarterly format is accepted, we contacted churches to host the four meetings. The recommendation for Quarterly Sessions is as follows:

Winter - January 15, 2001 - Coggins Memorial Baptist Church in Lexington. This would be an evening meeting

Spring - April 9, 2001 - Southgate Baptist Church, Thomasville
This meeting would be an afternoon session, meal, evening session.

Summer - July 9, 2001 - First Baptist Church, Denton
This would be an evening meeting

Fall - October 1, 2001 - First Baptist Church, Welcome
This meeting would be an afternoon session, meal, evening session

Dr. Steve Martin, Churchland Baptist Church, will bring the message on April 9, 2001, with Rev. Max Evington, Wallburg Baptist Church, as alternate. On October 1, 2001, Rev. Steve Jarvis, Colonial Baptist Church, will bring the message, with Dr. Randy Stewart, Mills Home Baptist Church, as alternate. The report of the Place and Preacher Committee was adopted.

The **Memorial Service** was led by Rev. Charles Dickens, who read the names of those who have died during 1999-2000. As the names were read, members of the churches stood in honor of the deceased members from their congregations. Rev. Dickens led a prayer of remembrance and honor for those who have

gone to be with the Lord. Rev. David Clemens led in singing "At the Name of Jesus" and "Glorious is Thy Name."

Miscellaneous Business: Moderator Mark Sink, after speaking with the Chairman of the Personnel Committee, Dr. Steve Martin, asked the messengers to invoke the provision for an emergency pay situation for Rev. Mike Ester, the Director of Missions. The Bylaws specifically state that he is to have one day of sick pay for each month of service, unless there is an emergency. We feel it would be in order to invoke the emergency pay provision. Motion was made, seconded and passed unanimously.

Announcement was made about a singing and fund raising event to be held at Amity Baptist Church on October 21st, beginning at 2:00 pm, with an auction at 4:00 pm. Everyone is invited.

An offering was taken for the specific purpose of raising money for the van at Christian Activity Center in East St. Louis, Illinois. A prayer was offered for encouragement to those who serve on the mission field in East St. Louis, and that the offerings may be used to bring people to Christ. (Amount received was $2,050.)

The **Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina** report was presented by Rev. C. F. McDowell, Director of Church Relations. Rev. McDowell asked Dr. Steve Martin to assist him by participating in a game of multiple choice questions concerning Baptist Children's Home. The theme for the Thanksgiving Offering for 2000 is "Embracing God's Children." A copy of the 2000 video was presented to Liberty Baptist Association.

Rev. Leonard Rollins presented a report on behalf of Campbell University. Those who attended, or had a child attend, any of the Baptist colleges or universities, or worked in any of the Baptist institutions were recognized and given the opportunity to tell about their connection to the Baptist school or institution.

Rev. Greg Barefoot, pastor of Smith Grove Baptist Church, read Scripture from Matthew 13:18-23. Ms. Dawn Williams, member of Abbotts Creek, selected the song "Calvary's Lamb" as the special music. The annual sermon was given by Rev. Mark Blair, who chose the Parable of the Sower as his topic for a message of challenge and encouragement. Benediction and prayer for the evening meal was given by Rev. Lee Stocks.

Tuesday Evening, October 3, 2000
ABBOTTS CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH
High Point, North Carolina

Moderator Mark Sink called the evening session to order and led in the opening prayer. Rev. David Clemens led in singing "He Keep's Me Singing" and "I Stand Amazed in the Presence." Dr. Steve Martin presented the **Theme Interpretation**, assisted by Dr. Ray Howell, III, in a humorous story about the beginnings of Liberty Baptist Association. Originally, the Abbotts Creek Baptist Association served the denomination, but they were anti-mission. As a result, the missionary churches came together and formed the Liberty Baptist Association in 1832. This change had to be made for the sake of the Gospel which remains timeless, the same yesterday, today and forever. The vision of mission involvement is forever offering us the opportunity to change, to bring new ministries, not for self edification, but for the good of the Gospel. Let us receive these changes in a very positive way as we become a spirit-led family of churches who train, counsel, encourage and assist each other in fulfilling the Great Commandment and the Great Commission.

Vernelle Greene, Associational Historian, shared the history of Abbotts Creek Baptist Church. An offering was taken so that those who had not previously given could have opportunity to contribute to the van fund for the Christian Activity Center. The amount received so far is $6,750. A prayer of thanksgiving was offered, followed by singing of hymns "I Love to Tell the Story" and "Take the Name of Jesus With You," led by Rev. David Clemens. Rev. Mark Sink announced that the total collected thus far is approximately $7,000. Rev. Lowell Askins, Pastor of Coggins Memorial Baptist Church, made a motion that we purchase the van, taking the balance from the general fund, and then have volunteers deliver it to East St. Louis. Motion was seconded. Rev. Gary Myers, Chairman of Missions Development Committee, stated that he had spoken with a dealer who was willing to locate a van, purchase it at dealer cost, have a warranty in place, and take care of all necessary inspections. This may take a few days to accomplish if they do not have a vehicle on hand. Rev. Myers agreed to be responsible for contacting the dealer and following through with all necessary procedures. This motion to purchase a van for the Christian Activity Center was passed

unanimously.

The **Volunteers in Missions Recognition Service** began with a report from the **Woman's Missionary Union**, presented by Associational WMU Director, Judy Yarbrough. Rev. Roy Cantrell, Chairman of **Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee**, reported that more mission involvement has taken place in our association this year than at any other time. He requested that anyone with suggestions for mission projects contact a member of the committee. Our association has enough variety in missions that every church and every Christian can find some mission project in which to be involved. Rev. Cantrell expressed appreciation on behalf of his son, Rev. Chet Cantrell, for the action taken by the association to purchase a van for use at the Christian Activity Center. Michael Rinehardt, Director of the **Brotherhood/Baptist Men Leadership Team**, called attention to the list of volunteers from our association and to their places of service. Volunteers were asked to stand and be recognized. Janet Sharpe gave a report on the mission trip to Honduras, which was an associational effort. William Hanes presented a report on the work in Eastern North Carolina, assisting victims of Hurricane Floyd. A video was shown which was a composite of the mission work of the churches and individuals in our association.

The choir of Abbotts Creek Baptist Church presented a medley of choruses as Special Music, under the direction of Rev. David Clemens, followed by everyone singing "Majesty."

Moderator Mark Sink introduced Rev. Bobby Stafford, with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, who agreed to come when the Director of Missions, Michael Ester, became ill and was unable to bring the evening message. Rev. Stafford gave a challenge to Liberty Baptist Association to be a good neighbor to those around us in Davidson County, and to reach out with the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Scripture was shared from Luke 10 about the Good Samaritan.

Following the message, Rev. Stafford gave a challenge to the leaders with the **Installation of 2000-2001 Officers:** Moderator: Dr. Robert Floyd (North Lexington Baptist Church); Rev. Lowell Askins, Vice Moderator (Coggins Memorial Baptist Church); Gail S. Beck, Clerk (Oak Hill Memorial Baptist Church); and Raleigh York, Jr., Treasurer (Carolina Memorial Baptist Church). Rev. Stafford asked everyone to join hands, symbolizing the joining of hearts and minds in Liberty Baptist Association, and the commitment to be good neighbors. A prayer of dedication was offered for the officers and leaders of the association.

A presentation was made to Dr. Robert Floyd, the Moderator for 2000-2001, of Robert's Rules of Order, and the official gavel used in the associational meetings.

Dr. Floyd asked for continued prayers for Mike and Lynn Ester, and for the association in the coming year. He adjourned the 168th Annual Session with prayer.

ELECTED MESSENGERS FOR 2000-2001

(The names of Messengers who attended any session of the Annual Meeting held October 2-3, 2000, are in bold, italic text.)

Abbotts Creek

Dot Canada
Roy Cantrell
Scott Ford
Mary Gann
Michael Gann
Betsy Leach
Pansy Moore
Betty Jo Motsinger
Daphne Motsinger
Michael Rinehardt
Jack Rose
Mary Smith
Evva Spurgeon
Ruth Spurgeon
Doris Stocks
Lee Stocks
John Sulger
Lawrence Todd, Jr.
Betty Williams
James Williams

Amity

Wayne Fulton
Dalton King
Cindi Lawson
Jimmy Lawson
Betty Proctor
Raymond Proctor
Alternates
Peggy Fulton
Kim Householder
Eloise King
Angela Rohrer

Carolina Memorial

Arnold Atwood
Ella Batten
Betty Bradshaw
Hilda K. Byerly
Ethel Carter
Peggy Guffey
Louanne Hedrick
Tim Landreth
Jackie Lewis
Jackie Miller
Kenneth Miller
Brad Myers
Loretta Ogden
Sandra White
Stuart White

Carolina Memorial - continued

Carlene Wright
Raleigh York, Jr.
Fred Young
Pauline Young

Cedar Lodge

Russell Brownworth
Brenda Emmons
Patsy Hinkle
Bill Reece
Evelyn Reece

Center Hill

Bessie Blackwell
Frank Carter
Goldie Hicks
Betty Honbaier
Glenda Mabry
Harold Mabry
Lamar Moore, Jr.
Mary Ruth Sheets
Layne Wallace
Stephany Wallace

Central

Billy Sloop
Dora Sloop

Churchland

C. J. Everhart
Muriel Everhart
Betty Ferguson
Alice Greene
Anna Greene
George Greene
Vernelle Greene
Sue Hilliard
John Marshall
Steve Martin
Janice Mullineaux
Idalia Snider
Nancy Swicegood
Alternates:
Karen Lee Allen
Calvin Mullineaux

Clearview

Dean Fox
Bill Freeman
Nell Freeman

Coggins Memorial

Claudia Askins
Lowell Askins

Coggins Memorial - continued
Charles Dickens
Judy Dickens
Rita Hobbs
Lillian Hyatt
David Shaffer
Karen Shaffer
Lionel Wall

Colonial
Connie Burgess
Carolyn Embler
P. D. Embler
Ricky Embler
Steve Jarvis
Billy King
Jerry Shores
Don Wilborne

Denton, First
Betty Lomax
Peggy Moore
Margaret Morris
Vern Peterson
Linda Skeen
Dewey Snider
Goldia Spivey
Inez Varner
Tyler Varner

Faith
Janeth Bean
Brenda English
Dawn English
Kristi Foster
Trevor Foster
Jamie Harrison
Kenneth Tysinger

Floyd
Fred Miller

Greenwood
Daneze Brinkley
Mildred Brinkley
Bill Ferguson
Dorothy Ferguson
Ruby Glenn
John Gore
Maxine Hudson
Ovada Lambe
Stephen Livengood
Mamie Mendenhall
Geneva Ripple
Canitia Simpson

Hasty
Brown Baity
Edna Baity

Hasty - continued
John D. Cecil, Jr.
John D. Cecil, Sr.
Mildred Cecil
Bernard Ferrell
Emily Hushour
Chris Lingerfelt
Ramona Taylor

High Rock
Russ Bailey
Carolyn Cooper
Russell Cooper

Hillside Park

Holloways
Jim Beanblossom
Jane Carrick
Ronald Carrick
Nancy Darr
Darrell Hunley

Jersey
George Beeker
Margaret Beeker
Michael Collier
Charlotte Cook
David Crumpler
Robert Knapp
Sara Knapp
Barbara Mason
Becky Myers
Malcolm Myers
Rick Myers
Carolyn Smith
Harold Tate
Virginia Tate

Lakeview
Chris Hawks
Dot Nester
Hugh Nester
Mildred Rabon
Henry Wood
Phyllis Wood

Lexington, First
Doris Helvey
Jim Helvey
Bruce Hill
Ray Howell, III
Opal Johnson
Wade Johnson
Mark Kemp
Leonard Rollins
Polly Rollins
Sandra Wilson

Lexington, First - continued
Tommy Wilson
Liberty
Harvey Grubb
Peter Hamilton
Carl Hunt
Marvin Whitaker
Lick Creek
Kathy Cottrell
Jean Jarvis
John Jarvis
Hilda Ours
Ralph Ours
Hulon Pait
Mills Homes
Imogene Hoyle
Mountain View
Fallie Mae Carrick
John Kroh
Katy Palmer
Catherine Parker
Clay Parker
Brenda Parks
Darrell Parks
New Friendship
Jane Brown
Kay Shell
Gloria South
Roy South
Jeanette Teague
North Lexington
Robert J. Floyd
Lillian Fritts
Thurman Fritts
Jake Sharpe
Janet Sharpe
Oak Hill
Charles Barker
Shelby Barker
Billy J. Beck
Billy R. Beck
Jim Disher
Kathy Disher
Gary Myers
Joyce Myers
Oakhurst

Park Place
Bertie Benfield
Glenda Campbell
Rodney Douglas
Sandy Douglas
Willis Maley

Park Place - continued
Jim Perry
Markus Sink
Reeds
Alex Beck
Charlotte Beck
Connie Forrest
Sylvia Hanes
William Hanes
Dan Hutchins
Wanda Hutchins
Bobbie Pace
John Pace
Jeanette Shoaf
Ann Smith
Gene Smith
Jo Carroll Smith
Larry Smith
Rich Fork
Yvonne Avant
J. Byron Barker
Michael Bowers
John Gwaltney
Bob James
Holley Ziglar
Smith Grove
Greg Barefoot
Margie Cook
Haywood Graves
Margaret Graves
Wilma Holloway
Dot Koontz
Hazel Lanning
Danny Price
Southgate
Grover Beck, Sr.
Glenda Bray
John Bray
Harry Buckingham
Julie Buckingham
Chuck Garner
Randy Hill
Betty Hughes
Don Hughes
Denise Ingram
Gloria Irby
Leon Irby
Jerry Stilwell
Kenneth Williams
Southside
Ron Blakley
Jerry Darnell
Bobby Gales

Southside - continued
Cora George
Faye Goins
John Goins
Esther House
Elaine Hulin
William Hulin
Janie O'Kelly
Ava Turner
Rocky Turner

Stoner's Grove
Donna Best
Scott Briggs
R. N. Hardin
Barbara Hicks
Bill Hicks
Jeff Stutts
Janice Tysinger
Pauline Warfford

Summerville
Jeff Gallimore
Ethan Hedrick
Phyllis Hughes
Mary Loftin
Larry Michael
Yoshiko Michael
Flynn Richardson

Thomasville, First
David Best
Robert Burchette
Daryl Clark
Clyde Crook
Brenda Ferguson
Sylvia Finney
Diane Gallimore
Bob Griffith
Eva Nifong
Maurine Perryman
Aldeen Robbins
Ann Robbins
Mem Rollins
Dwayne Stanley

Trinity
Cyndy Pierce
Rickey Pierce
Charles Tanner
Linda Tanner
Ann Thomas
Lee Thomas
Mary Waddell
Eva Younts

Victory
Kathryn Hedgepeth

Victory - continued
Mac Hedgepeth
Jewell Morrow
Phillip Morrow
Chester Westmoreland
Kathleen Westmoreland

Wallburg
Max Evington
Orilee Evington
Edith Reid
Nolan Reid
Pamela Richardson
Jo Ann Roumillat
Raymond Roumillat

Welcome, First
Mark Blair
Kathy Blair
Keith Brown
Charlie Nifong
Linda Nifong
Robert Odom
Virginia Odom
Judy Yarbrough

LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION REPORTS

ADMINISTRATIVE LEADERSHIP TEAM REPORT

The report last presented to the Annual Meeting of the Association was on October 4, 1999.

The work for the past year has been more routine than the first year. The team has met each month on a regular basis, and the primary responsibility has been two fold. There has been an effort to refine the structure, and an attempt to work in collaboration with the Interim Missionary and the new Director of Missions in revisioning the work of our Association.

Two personnel changes have marked the work of the team: (1) At the Leadership Team meeting on October 27, 1999, Dr. Brooks Hunt announced that he had completed his work as interim pastor in the Liberty Baptist Association and was accepting responsibility with a congregation in another association. Being neither a member nor pastor within the Liberty Association, he tendered his resignation from the Leadership Team.

In discussion which followed at subsequent meetings, and in consultation with the Interim Missionary, the recommendation was made to the Executive Board that Dr. Hunt's resignation be accepted with regret, and that another person be selected to fill the vacancy. This recommendation was approved, and Dr. Steve Martin, pastor of Churchland Baptist Church, was elected to fill the vacancy on the Administrative Leadership Team.

(2) The second change of personnel occurred when Dr. Jack Gentry resigned as the Interim Associational Missionary, effective May 14, 2000, and the Rev. Michael Ester began as the new Director of Missions for Liberty Baptist Association on May 15, 2000. The Administrative Leadership Team was requested to continue serving until the new Director had an opportunity to become oriented to the pastors and churches of the Association.

During the last year the Administrative Leadership Team met ten times. They helped spearhead a survey which was sent to all the churches in an attempt to procure input for the DOM Search Committee. They also were asked to assume leadership responsibility for the "town meetings" scheduled across the association. These meetings provided opportunity for the Search Committee to hear suggestions from every church member who wanted to share. From May through August the Team met with the DOM on a regular basis, and provided information and associational history in the process of orientation.

During the August meeting those present talked with Rev. Ester about disbanding the Leadership Team. With his agreement, it was concluded that the Team had accomplished its task, fulfilled its mission, and served its intended purpose. It was agreed that the time had come to conclude the Team's work. The DOM is enjoying good working relationships with the elected leadership and finds significant support through fellowship with pastors. In light of these conclusions, the decision was made to report release of the Team at the August 21 meeting of the Executive Board. The recommendation was presented and duly approved on that occasion.

Serving on the Administrative Leadership Team was both difficult and rewarding. It was difficult to bring harmony to the association in the midst of misunderstandings and hard feelings; it was difficult to bring fiscal integrity with insufficient funds; it was difficult to enlist total support when at one point there were twelve churches without pastors.

However, with the response of the church leadership, the increased giving of several congregations, the determination of people in the pew to bridge gaps of goodwill, and trust that the Lord had something good in store for His people, the churches pulled together and gave evident expression of love and hope. With this kind of response, our work became easier. It actually moved toward becoming enjoyable.

Thank you for the privilege of serving. If we have made a difference, then it is the answer to prayer. Thank you for your prayers, participation, financial support and good will. Share further with us in giving God the glory, and joining together to fill our places in His Kingdom with responsible devotion.

Morris S. Hollifield, Chairman, Administrative Leadership Team
Byron Barker
Charlotte Cook
Charles Dickens
Steve Martin
Bill Reece

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY REPORT

This has been an exciting year for me serving as your Associational Missionary and working with you doing missions together. God has truly blessed our association with many wonderful churches, with many gifted pastors and lay people. There is a marvelous spirit of love and fellowship in our association. For this, I am extremely grateful.

Although we enjoy the blessings of Christ, we must never forget that, first and foremost, we have a task. Our task is to carry the Gospel of Jesus Christ to all people groups. God cares for the people of His world. "Red, Yellow, Black and White, they are (ALL) precious in His sight."

Our mission task is to: lead others to Christ, to train, and lead them to become true disciples, so God's work can be expanded, and His Kingdom swell to greater proportions. Our prayer should always be, that every person may hear the Gospel message.

We must never forget, we are involved in the greatest work on earth. Because it is the greatest work on earth, it demands our best efforts. Our best in time and talents.

Here is a list of some of the things I have been involved in this year.

Constructed and maintain our Web-site
Attended new BSCNC, DOM training (3 sessions)
Summer DOM Conference
DOM training-Ridgecrest
Counseling and career assessment (28)
Spoke in 22 churches
Visited 25 churches
Conflict management sessions (5)
Served as Evangelist for three revivals
Trained two pulpit search committees
Taught Mission Study

Committee meetings I have attended include:

Youth	WMU	Church planting
Nominating	Toy Store	Partnership
Finance	Administrative	Prison
Church Clerks	Scholarship	Thresher's Reunion
Evangelism	Bi-Vocational	Ministers' Conference
Place & Preacher	Quarterly Sessions	Secretary's Fellowship

Respectfully,
Michael R. Ester

BROTHERHOOD
BAPTIST MEN
ANNUAL REPORT

"CHRIST CALLS EVERY CHRISTIAN TO BE A MISSIONARY!"

This doesn't mean we have to travel to another country. We can be missionaries in our own community. We each have God-given gifts and talents that can be used to help others. September 1999 brought one of the largest and most destructive disasters to our state - Hurricane Floyd. Lives were forever changed. This also started one of the largest disaster relief/recovery efforts in our state. Our churches not only contributed money, but one of the first things done was to send a trailer load of relief supplies to Rocky Mount. This relief aide was received and distributed by North Carolina Baptist Men and Women. The Liberty Baptist Association Baptist Men's Disaster Recovery Ministry is meeting the needs of the people of Eastern North Carolina by cleaning up destroyed areas and repairing homes.

This year we had three work and witness teams of Baptist Men and Women on the mission field in Honduras. They aided in the disaster recovery work by building houses for those that were lost during Hurricane Mitch. The Association Mission Team served from July 31- August 8. This team was composed of ten men and two women. They not only built houses, but also conducted a very successful vacation Bible School.

There are so many mission opportunities available. Work continues in the Grifton and Tarboro areas in Eastern North Carolina. There are Mission Partnerships with Alaska, Honduras, and South Africa. There are many areas where one can volunteer and use God-given talents. Here's looking at you on the mission field!

Baptist Men - Serving Christ!
Michael Rinehardt, Director
Brotherhood/Baptist Men Leadership Team

MISSION MINISTRY BUDGET - ADOPTED 10-2-2000
GENERAL FUND - LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
September 1, 2000 - August 31, 2001

		1999-2000	2000-2001
MISSIONS			
Mission Support			
5101	Alpha Pregnancy Center	600	600
5102	Brotherhood Handyman Ministries/Trailer	500	500
5103	Seaman's Center Ministry	0	250
5104	Literature Ministry	1,000	1,000
5105	DCCC Campus Ministry	25	25
5106	Davidson Medical Ministries Clinic	600	600
5107	Davidson County Prison Ministry	600	2,400
5108	Disaster Relief Fund	250	250
5109	Ethnic Ministry	500	250
5111	Seminary Extension	1,000	500
5120	Christian Activity Center, East St. Louis, IL	1,200	1,200
5122	New Work (10% of Undesignated)	0	12,000
5124	Partnership Missions	1,000	1,000
5140	WMU Toy Store Ministry	250	275
5150	WMU Prison Ministry	200	1,200
5160	Youth Events	2,000	2,000
	Sub-Total	**$ 9,925**	**$ 24,050**
PERSONNEL			
Director of Missions			
5210	DOM Total Package	68,696	68,696
	Salary		
	Housing Allowance		
	Travel Allowance		
	Social Security Offset		
	Retirement		
	Christmas Gift		
	Hospital & Life Insurance		
	Sub-Total	**$ 68,696**	**$ 68,696**
Administrative Secretary			
5220	Salary	15,761	16,380
5221	FICA/Med-Care	1,206	1,250
5222	Christmas Gift	150	150
5223	Disability & Life Insurance	620	620
5224	Retirement	1,576	1,638
	Sub-Total	**$ 19,313**	**$ 20,038**
SUPPORT			
5230	Clerk	450	450
5231	Treasurer	625	625
5232	Temporary Secretary	550	550
5330	Associational Speakers	350	300
5331	Church Secretaries Association	100	100
5332	Convention Expense (DOM-$1,800; Sec.-$300)	1,800	2,100

5333	Equipment (Video Projector, etc.)	3,300	3,300
5340	Library/Media/Audio Visuals	300	300
5351	Historical Committee	0	100
5360	Newsletter	350	400
5361	Newsletter Postage	1,100	1,200
5362	Office Supplies	1,800	1,000
5363	Office Postage	1,600	1,800
5364	Printing of Minutes	1,500	1,500
5370	Telephone	1,000	1,000
5384	Minister's Conference	400	400
	Sub-Total	**$22,425**	**$ 15,125**
TRAINING/EQUIPPING SUPPORT			
5401	Brotherhood	600	500
5402	Discipleship Training	100	100
5403	Evangelism	300	500
5404	Key Leadership Conference	300	300
5405	Music	250	200
5406	Sunday School	200	250
5420	VBS	450	500
5430	WMU	600	650
5440	Youth	200	200
5450	Senior Adults	100	600
5460	Single Adults	100	100
5470	Missions Development Council	200	200
	Sub-Total	**3,400**	**$ 4,100**
ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICE SUPPORT			
5510	Insurance	1,300	1,300
5520	Maintenance	2,500	2,000
5521	Custodial Services	550	550
5522	Yard Service	350	350
5530	Utilities	3,000	2,000
5531	Office Equipment	3,000	3,000
	Sub-Total	**$10,700**	**$ 9,200**
OTHER SUPPORT			
5610	Miscellaneous	500	3,500
5620	Rollins-DOM Conference Expense	150	150
	Sub-Total	**$650**	**$ 3,650**
	TOTAL AMOUNT OF BUDGET	**$135,109**	**$144,859**

BUDGET EXPLANATIONS AND INFORMATION

1. The Budget was increased this year by 7.2%
2. Secretary's salary based on $9.00 per hour for a 35 hour week. Benefits include two (2) weeks paid vacation. We propose an additional one (1) week sick/personal days for the upcoming year. The time off is funded by the Temporary Secretary line item.
3. Clerk's salary will be paid as single payment by August 31 each year.
4. Treasurer's salary will be paid as a single payment by August 31 each year.

LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, Thomasville, North Carolina
GENERAL BUDGET FINANCIAL REPORT - SEPTEMBER 1, 1999 THRU AUGUST 31, 2000
CORRECTED STATEMENT

Acct. No.	Item	Disbursements YTD	Received YTD	Balance YTD	1998-1999 Budget
MISSIONS					
	Mission Support				
5101	Alpha Pregnancy Center	600.00	0.00	0.00	600.00
5102	Brotherhood/Handyman Min.	422.94	0.00	77.06	500.00
5104	Literature Ministry	1,040.00	40.00	0.00	1000.00
5105	DCCC Campus Ministry	0.00	371.38	396.38	25.00
5106	Davidson Med. Min. Clinic	600.00	0.00	0.00	600.00
5107	Davidson Co. Prison Min.	1,200.00	600.00	0.00	600.00
5108	Disaster Recovery Trailer	0.00	0.00	250.00	250.00
5109	Ethnic Ministries	0.00	0.00	500.00	500.00
5111	Seminary Extension	0.00	0.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
5120	Christian Activity Center	1,200.00	0.00	0.00	1,200.00
5124	South Africa Partnership	145.16	0.00	854.84	1,000.00
5140	WMU Toy Store Ministry	0.00	0.00	250.00	250.00
5150	WMU Prison Ministry	0.00	0.00	200.00	200.00
5160	Youth Events	2,024.75	0.00	(24.75)	2,000.00
5170	Missions Dev. Council	0.00	0.00	200.00	200.00
	Sub-Total	**$7,232.85**	**$1,011.38**	**$3,703.53**	**$9,925.00**
PERSONNEL					
	Director of Missions				
5210	DOM Total Package	37,202.44	1,501.00	32,994.56	68,696.00
	Sub-Total	**$37,202.44**	**$1,501.00**	**$32,994.56**	**$68,696.00**
	Administrative Secretary				
5220	Salary	15,221.49	0.00	539.51	15,761.00
5221	FICA/Med-Care	1,155.37	0.00	50.63	1,206.00
5222	Christmas Gift	150.00	0.00	0.00	150.00
5223	Disability/Life Ins.	782.88	0.00	(162.88)	620.00
5224	Retirement	1,575.96	0.00	0.04	1,576.00
	Sub-Total	**$18,885.70**	**$0.00**	**$427.30**	**$19,313.00**
SUPPORT					
5230	Clerk	450.00	0.00	0.00	450.00
5231	Treasurer	625.00	0.00	0.00	625.00
5232	Temporary Secretarial	487.97	0.00	62.03	550.00
5330	Associational Speakers	50.00	0.00	300.00	350.00
5331	Church Secretaries Association	0.00	0.00	100.00	100.00
5332	Convention Expense	214.50	0.00	1,585.50	1,800.00
5333	Equipment Lease	1,681.31	0.00	1,618.69	3,300.00
5340	Library/Media/Audio Visuals	242.41	0.00	57.59	300.00
5350	Moving Expense for DOM	0.00	0.00	3000.00	3,000.00
5360	Newsletter	264.02	0.00	85.98	350.00
5361	Newsletter Postage	1,199.81	0.00	(99.81)	1,100.00
5362	Office Supplies	1,345.75	10.00	464.25	1,800.00
5363	Office Postage	1,571.00	0.00	29.00	1,600.00
5364	Printing of Minutes	1,175.54	0.00	324.46	1,500.00
5370	Telephone	1,096.16	60.43	(35.73)	1,000.00
5382	Annual Financial Review	0.00	0.00	1,200.00	1,200.00
5383	Mileage-Adm.Team/Assoc.Sec.	400.00	0.00	2600.00	3,000.00
5384	Minister's Conference	677.00	475.00	198.00	400.00
	Sub-Total	**$11,480.47**	**$545.43**	**$11,489.96**	**$22,425.00**

Acct. No.	Item	Disbursements YTD	Received YTD	Balance YTD	1998-1999 Budget
TRAINING/EQUIPPING SUPPORT					
5401	Brotherhood	7.00	7.00	600.00	600.00
5402	Discipleship Training	52.01	0.00	47.99	100.00
5403	Evangelism	0.00	0.00	300.00	300.00
5404	Key Leadership Conference	132.80	0.00	167.20	300.00
5405	Music	0.00	0.00	250.00	250.00
5406	Sunday School	125.00	0.00	75.00	200.00
5420	VBS	464.99	0.00	(14.99)	450.00
5430	WMU	615.25	17.00	1.75	600.00
5440	Youth	0.00	0.00	200.00	200.00
5450	Senior Adults	0.00	0.00	100.00	100.00
5460	Single Adults	27.97	0.00	72.03	100.00
5470	Missions Development Council	0.00	0.00	200.00	200.00
	Sub-Total	**$1,425.02**	**$24.00**	**$1,998.98**	**$3,400.00**
ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICE SUPPORT					
5510	Insurance	1,180.50	0.00	119.50	1,300.00
5520	Maintenance	531.03	0.00	1,968.97	2500.00
5521	Custodial Services	220.00	0.00	330.00	550.00
5522	Office Yard Service	0.00	0.00	350.00	350.00
5530	Utilities	1,669.65	0.00	1,330.35	3,000.00
5531	Office Equipment	2,845.18	312.55	467.37	3,000.00
	Sub-Total	**$6,446.36**	**$312.55**	**$4,566.19**	**$10,700.00**
OTHER SUPPORT					
5610	Miscellaneous	347.29	0.00	152.71	500.00
5620	Rollins-DOM Conf. Expense	0.00	0.00	150.00	150.00
	Sub-Total	**$347.29**	**$0.00**	**$302.71**	**$650.00**
	TOTALS	**$83,020.13**	**$3,394.36**	**$55,483.23**	**$135,109.00**
General Funds Transfer to New Work		12,000.00			
Adjustment for Taxes Payable		5.20			
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS		**$95,025.33**			

LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, Thomasville North Carolina

BUDGET/DESIGNATED FUNDS ACTIVITY - SEPTEMBER 1, 1999 THRU AUGUST 31, 2000
CORRECTED STATEMENT

Fund Accounts	Beginning Balance	Receipts Year-to-Date	Total Year-to-Date	Disbursements Year-to-Date	Fund Balance Year-to-Date
01 Assoc. Program/Budget	**$61,067.33**	**$138,829.82**	**$199,897.15**	**$95,025.33**	**$104,871.82**
02 Annual Minutes	0.00	305.00	305.00	305.00	0.00
03 Youth Ministry	500.00	0.00	500.00	500.00	0.00
04 Migrant Ministry	0.50	0.00	0.50	0.00	0.50
06 Brotherhood Handyman	1,850.02	1,445.00	3,295.02	598.69	2,696.33
07 Hunger Ministry-N.Lexington	6,000.00	0.00	6,000.00	6,000.00	0.00
08 Recovery Trailer	100.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	100.00
10 Davidson Medical Ministry	0.00	100.00	100.00	0.00	100.00
12 South Africa Partnership	565.23	0.00	565.23	0.00	565.23
12A-Church Planter	1500.00	1,518.40	3,018.40	0.00	3,018.40
13 Ch. Activity Ctr., E. St. Louis	0.00	1,715.00	1,715.00	135.00	1,580.00
14 Domestic Violence	0.00	100.00	100.00	0.00	100.00
15 New Work	0.00	12,000.00	12,000.00	0.00	12,000.00
16 Hispanic Missions	0.00	668.00	668.00	0.00	668.00
20 Probe/Vista	100.24	0.00	100.24	100.24	0.00
22 Leisure Ministry BSCNC	175.73	0.00	175.73	107.81	67.92
23 State Missions BSCNC	3,875.00	5,341.52	9,216.52	9,216.52	0.00
25 Cambodian Missions	0.00	3,666.64	3,666.64	3,666.64	0.00
26 Prison Seminary	2,009.92	992.44	3,002.36	375.00	2,627.36
30 Toy Store Ministry	1,439.28	295.00	1,734.28	64.45	1,669.83
31 Prisoner Gifts	0.00	3,154.03	3,154.03	2,816.54	337.49
32 Literature Ministry	0.00	145.00	145.00	145.00	0.00
35 Hurrican Floyd Relief	0.00	1,337.21	1,337.21	1,337.21	0.00
36 Building Fund	0.00	9,716.52	9,716.52	0.00	9,716.52
Designated Funds Total	**$18,115.92**	**$42,499.76**	**$60,615.68**	**$25,368.10**	**$35,247.58**

GRAND TOTALS ALL FUNDS	Beginning Balance	Receipts Year-to-Date	Total Year-to-Date	Disbursements Year-to-Date	Fund Balance Year-to-Date
	$79,183.25	**$181,329.58**	**$260,512.83**	**$120,393.43**	**$140,119.40**

RECAP

LSB Checking	$77,485.09
LBS Investors Account	62,634.31
TOTAL	**$140,119.40**

State Missions Funds #23 have been transferred to Building Fund #36
$12,000 General Budget Funds Transferred to New Work #15

CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED - SEPTEMBER 1, 1999 THRU AUGUST 31, 2000

CORRECTED STATEMENT

Churches	01 Assoc. Program	02 Minutes	06 Handy-man	10 Davidson Med.Min	12A Church Planter	13 Christian Act.Ctr	14 Domestic Violence	15 New Work	16 Hispanic Mission	23 St.Missions BSCNC
Abbotts Creek	5,875.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Amity	520.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Carolina Mem	13,313.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	20.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cedar Lodge	2,001.00	0.00	75.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Center Hill	1,200.00	45.00	0.00	0.00	225.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Central	632.58	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Churchland	3,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Clearview	200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Coggins Mem	8,700.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Colonial	3,782.88	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Denton, 1st	3,868.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	20.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Faith	550.00	55.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Floyd	300.00	50.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Greenwood	2,500.00	25.00	800.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Hasty	552.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
High Rock	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Hillside Park	1,200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Holloways	2,372.72	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Jersey	4,200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,060.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Lakeview	862.98	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Lexington, 1st	7,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	20.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Liberty	3,423.76	60.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Lick Creek	275.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	10.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mills Home	268.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mountain View	1,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
New Friendship	3,639.27	30.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
North Lex	450.00	20.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Oak Hill Mem	3,500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Oakhurst	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Park Place	9,688.32	20.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Reeds	8,034.44	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Rich Fork	6,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Smith Grove	2,250.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Southgate	5,482.27	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Southside	2,744.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Stoners Grove	1,100.00	0.00	300.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Summerville	4,505.29	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Thomasville, 1st	2,893.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	393.40	20.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Trinity	2,157.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Victory	440.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Wallburg	2,000.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Welcome, 1st	9,414.21	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	15.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Others	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Baptist St.Conv.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	668.00	5,341.52
Interest	3,439.57	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Organizations	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Individuals	0.00	0.00	270.00	0.00	0.00	500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Refunds	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
TOTALS	$135,435.46	$305.00	$1,445.00	$100.00	$1,518.40	$1,715.00	$100.00	$0.00	$668.00	$5,341.52

	25	26	30	31	32	35	36		
Churches	Camb.	Prison	Toy	Prisoner	Literature	Hurricane	Building	Refunds	All
	Mission	Sem.	Store	Gifts	Dist.	Floyd	Fund		Income
Abbotts Creek	0.00	0.00	0.00	90.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	109.00	6,074.00
Amity	0.00	0.00	0.00	15.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	535.00
Carolina Mem	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	13,533.22
Cedar Lodge	0.00	0.00	0.00	150.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00	2,251.00
Center Hill	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	1,570.00
Central	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	632.58
Churchland	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,025.00
Clearview	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	200.00
Coggins Mem	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	9,100.00
Colonial	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	3,882.88
Denton, 1st	0.00	0.00	0.00	286.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	4,274.03
Faith	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	630.00
Floyd	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	350.00
Greenwood	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,325.00
Hasty	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	250.00	802.00
High Rock	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	40.00	0.00	0.00	140.00
Hillside Park	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,200.00
Holloways	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,372.72
Jersey	0.00	0.00	0.00	50.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	102.00	5,412.00
Lakeview	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00	0.00	816.21	0.00	0.00	1,704.19
Lexington, 1st	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	7,020.00
Liberty	0.00	0.00	0.00	44.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,527.76
Lick Creek	0.00	0.00	0.00	20.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	305.00
Mills Home	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	268.50
Mountain View	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,000.00
New Friendship	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,694.27
North Lex	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	570.00
Oak Hill Mem	0.00	0.00	0.00	104.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	50.00	3,654.00
Oakhurst	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Park Place	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	115.00	10,123.32
Reeds	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	50.00	0.00	0.00	600.00	8,709.44
Rich Fork	0.00	0.00	0.00	75.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	6,075.00
Smith Grove	0.00	0.00	0.00	50.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,300.00
Southgate	0.00	0.00	0.00	45.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	5,827.27
Southside	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,744.20
Stoners Grove	0.00	0.00	200.00	400.00	0.00	0.00	500.00	25.00	2,725.00
Summerville	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,505.29
Thomasville, 1st	0.00	0.00	0.00	40.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	3,446.42
Trinity	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	17.00	2,174.19
Victory	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	440.00
Wallburg	0.00	0.00	20.00	0.00	20.00	0.00	0.00	40.00	2,080.04
Welcome, 1st	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	9,429.21
Others	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Baptist St.Conv.	3,666.64	992.44	0.00	1,500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	12,168.60
Interest	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,439.57
Organizations	0.00	0.00	75.00	75.00	75.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	225.00
Individuals	0.00	0.00	0.00	35.00	0.00	481.00	0.00	0.00	1,286.00
Refunds	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,361.36	1,361.36
TOTALS	$3,666.64	$992.44	$295.00	$3,154.03	$145.00	$1,337.21	$500.00	$3,394.36	$160,113.06

DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING ANNUAL REPORT

Our Lord gave to the church the responsibility of assisting believers in spiritual development in their walk with the Lord. Discipleship is a tremendous task for every church as we seek to honor the Lord. There are many areas of need for discipleship. New Member Training, discovering and using spiritual gifts, growth in the knowledge of God's word: these are a few of the areas of need in developing believers. Each church must accept responsibility for this ministry. As we give attention to assisting believers in their spiritual development we will have members who are growing in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior.

One Discipleship Training tool for children and youth is Bible Memory Work. A total of six youth and children from two Liberty Baptist Association Churches participated in Bible Memory Work this year. Lindsay Hoyle and Ashley Metters from Carolina Memorial participated in Youth Bible Drills. Jared Blair and Brandon Mendenhall from Welcome First along with Johnny Campbell and Trent Summey from Carolina Memorial participated in Children's Bible Drills. We look forward to more children and youth participating in the Drills during the coming year.

Two Discipleship Training conferences are planned for November 16 as a part of the Associational *Every Member Training* emphasis at Rich Fork. One conference will be offered, focusing on special Discipleship Training choices, and a second conference will focus on Bible Drills.

Mark Blair and I are delighted to serve as *Associational Discipleship Supporters* and we look forward to assisting with Discipleship Training during the coming year. Please feel free to call us if we can assist your church in this great ministry.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Stuart White

EVANGELISM COMMITTEE REPORT

"Where there is no vision, the people perish," so says the Proverb. Our challenge as we enter the 21st century, is to redream Jesus' dream, to reclaim His vision of reaching all the world for Him. He ultimately gave us His greatest challenge in Matthew 28: 18-20, what we as Baptists call the Great Commission. The Evangelism Committee has taken this challenge seriously as we are confronted with a county where at least 70% of our neighbors do not regularly attend any church.

As we consider our new Associational Mission Statement ("To be a Spirit-led family of churches who train, counsel, encourage and assist each other in fulfilling the Great Commission and the Great Commandment") the question arises, "How do we implement this Missions Statement?" Back in March, the Missions Development Council held five listening Sessions where we asked pastors and key church leaders this question. From these sessions came the consensus that we needed more fellowship between churches and pastors, we needed training in how to better reach our church communities for Christ, and we needed to be revived.

The need for fellowship is being addressed by dividing our Association up into five geographical areas so that the churches and pastors in each of these areas can get closer through joint endeavors. The need for outreach training and revival is being addressed by planning for a Simultaneous Revival October 21-24, 2001, and a Missions Celebration (World Missions Conference} in October 2002.

The Simultaneous Revival has been given the name: "Jesus - The Light of the World" Revival. The Evangelism Committee is urging each church in Liberty Association to commit to this revival by voting to participate, and to canvas their church communities in an attempt to reach the unchurched and the lost that live around them. The Evangelism 2001 will be a time when our Committee is suggesting that during the week of October 7 churches hold Cottage Prayer Meetings for the "Jesus - The light of the World" revivals and that the week of October 14, 2001 be a week of canvassing our communities and passing out "Lights" [small flashlights] to every home in our church communities. Then, Sunday October 28, 2001, will be High Attendance Day across our Association with a goal of 10,000 in Sunday Morning Worship attendance through-out our Association.

During the Spring of 2001, our Evangelism Committee will be holding Listening Sessions across our five geographical areas to meet with pastors and key church leaders so we can discover any ways we might help in implementing our "Jesus - The Light of the World" Revival. Our Committee will also be available during the Every Member Training session at Rich Fork church November 16, 2000, to answer questions and assist the churches in any way as we prepare for the challenge of reaching Davidson County

for Jesus Christ. All of this planning will go nowhere without PRAYER. Begin praying for each church and pastor of Liberty Baptist Association. Yes, without vision, the people perish. But without prayer, no vision can be implemented. Pray for revival in the churches of Liberty Baptist Association.

Respectfully submitted,
Michael Collier, Chairman

EXECUTIVE BOARD REPORT

October, 1999 through September, 2000

The September 13, 1999 meeting of the Executive Board was held at Oak Hill Memorial Baptist Church, in Thomasville. On November 22, 1999, the Executive Board met at North Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington; and on January 17, 2000, the meeting was held at Abbotts Creek Baptist Church, High Point. At a Special Called Meeting, held at Carolina Memorial Baptist Church in Thomasville, on April 13, 2000, a unanimous call was extended to Rev. Michael R. Ester to be the Director of Missions. Rev. Ester accepted and began his duties on May 15, 2000. The regular meeting of the Executive Board was on April 17, 2000, at Mills Home Baptist Church in Thomasville; and the final meeting was held at First Baptist Church, Welcome, on August 21, 2000. The average attendance at the meetings for 1999-2000 was 52. The Executive Board is made up of the pastor, treasurer, and one Executive lay representative from each church. Having 42 churches, this number alone would be 126. The officers, representatives and committee chairpersons are added to this number to make the total number serving on the Executive Board.

During this past year we were fortunate to have the leadership of Dr. Jack L. Gentry, Sr. who was most helpful to the pastors and churches during the interim period. Listening sessions were held throughout the association, trying to determine the desires, needs, and goals of all of our churches; and then together we chose a Mission Statement: ***"To be a Spirit-led family of churches who train, counsel, encourage and assist each other in fulfilling the Great Commandment and the Great Commission!"*** Trying to abide by and live up to this Mission Statement has taken on new meaning and a renewed inspiration for many of our leaders and committees.

The Administrative Leadership Team has served well during this year, assisting where needed and making recommendations for the betterment and good of our association. Having served since July, 1998, the Administrative Leadership Team members felt they had fulfilled their purpose for our association and asked the Executive Board on August 21, 2000, to allow the Team to be dissolved. The dedication, guidance and leadership of this special team of people has been a stabilizing force for our association and we are grateful for their service.

The DOM Search Committee worked diligently, seeking the person who would best serve our association. The Lord led them to Rev. Michael R. Ester and his wife, Lynn. Rev. Ester has visited in many of the churches, participated in special services, and revivals. We have all grown to love him and Lynn. Even as these reports are being prepared, Mike Ester is gravely ill and we ask each and everyone to continue to lift Mike and Lynn in prayer.

This year has seen the greatest outpouring of volunteers that we have ever experienced. The tragedy of Hurricane Floyd in eastern North Carolina has touched the hearts of many. Our association was one of the first to send a trailer load of goods, and many of our church members continue to go on a regular basis to assist with rebuilding homes and lives. Volunteers from our associational churches have stretched across our state, not only to eastern North Carolina, but to Mundo Vista and Caraway (Judea); to California, Illinois, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, West Virginia (Samaria); and to East Asia, Australia, Belize, Honduras, New Guinea (the uttermost parts of the world).

Many exciting things are being planned for Liberty Baptist Association: Simultaneous Revivals in October, 2001; a Missions Celebration in 2002; and a new storage building will be built on our property to help us accommodate the overflow of toys, prison ministry items and literature. In the very near future we will have a web site for our association making it possible to communicate with members and churches daily.

Thank you for allowing me the privilege of serving as Clerk and Administrative Secretary. It is a blessing to serve our Lord together.

Gail S. Beck
Associational Clerk

HOST CHURCHES HISTORIES

Carolina Memorial Baptist Church, Thomasville NC

Carolina Memorial Baptist Church was organized in the summer of 1930 with ten charter members. There were Mr. & Mrs. H. D. Bradshaw, Mr. & Mrs. Will Beusse, Mr. John Britt, Mrs. Ada Hill, Mrs. Neppie Gordon, Mr. Bud Dennis and Mr. & Mrs. George England. The first pastor was Rev. R. L. West. The church was admitted to the Liberty Baptist Association in 1931.

Since the history was published in 1998 in the Associational minutes we begin here with the updated history.

The Lord has continued to bless the people of Carolina Memorial Baptist Church under the leadership of the Pastor, Rev. Stuart White, and Associate Pastor, Rev. Kenneth Miller. In February 1998, the church called Tim Landreth as Minister of Youth and Education. He was ordained after the call at his home church in Hendersonville, NC.

The church initiated a security program for the nursery, pre-school, and children's departments in April of 1998. In the later part of 1998, the church purchased the John Carter property on Carter Drive for future growth. In December, 1998, the church reached their goal of $18,000 for the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering.

In 1999, much time was spent in church mission work. H. L. Russell, member of the church, went with a mission group to Africa; a group of youth went to Alabama with World Changers; and members also participated in the mission trip to East St. Louis. The church took on a project to restore the home of a family who were victims of Hurricane Floyd. Several men and women spend weekends working on the damaged home. The church provided funds to buy materials. After the project was completed, the family visited our church on a Wednesday night and were honored with a household shower.

The year 2000 saw the church continue to emphasize missions. In January, the church voted, along with Rich Fork Baptist Church as a partner, to participate in establishing a mission for Spanish speaking people in the larger community. The first meeting was held June 25, 2000, with 30 people in attendance. The mission is known as Mission Bautista de Hispana of Thomasville, NC. Meetings are held each Sunday afternoon at 3.00 p.m. On Sunday night August 20th, a joint baptismal service, with Carolina Memorial, Colonial Baptist Church and the Spanish church from Asheboro, NC, was held with 17 new Christians being baptized. The youth again participated with World Changers in a mission trip to Oklahoma. H. L. Russell went to Honduras and again there were people going to East St. Louis on a mission trip. We look forward to serving God in a marvelous way in the coming year.

Thank you, Mrs. Ethel Carter and Pastor White, for your help in compiling this updated history.

Respectfully submitted,
Vernelle Greene, Historian

Abbotts Creek Baptist Church, High Point NC

James Younger was the first pastor of Abbott's Creek and the first Baptist to preach in Piedmont, NC from 1755-1758. Abbott's Creek was the first arm of Sandy Creek Association which was organized between November 22, 1756, and June 1758.

We continue this history as a continuation of updates since 1992. The years since 1992 have been very eventful years for Abbott's Creek. Many mission trips and Bible school teaching programs have taken place over this time period.

In 1993, many meals were prepared to raise money to retire the indebtedness, as well as sending several people to help with hurricane victims in Florida. Also, new Baptist Hymnals were purchased for the church. Hugh and Betty Jo Motsinger gave up the volunteer treasurer's job after many years of service.

Evva Spurgeon, Carl Alcon, Dwight Moore and George Sechrest rewrote and added several items to the church constitution. On October 10, 1993, two rocking chairs were presented to the church nursery in honor of Violet Everhart and Betty Williams for the many years they had worked in the nursery. In 1994, a $6,000 check was given by the Charles Hayworth Family and will continue for 10 years to purchase an organ for the church in his memory. The parsonage roof was replaced with a 25 year guarantee and the church was incorporated.

The cost and feasibility of installing a Prayer Garden in the space between the sanctuary and the

educational building was investigated.

A Mission trip to the Ukraine included Lewis Peacock, Danny Gann, James Williams and Jack Rose. Also in 1994, the church phone system was updated and a committee of six selected to work out the details for an After School Care Program..

In 1995, a Prayer Garden was put in place and trees were cut and grounds cleaned up beside the parking lot in order that playground equipment and a volleyball court could be readied for use.

The After School Care program was begun for the 1995-96 school year. A flagpole was erected in memory of Charles Jordan. Money was raised for another mission trip to the Ukraine. Six people were included in this trip. Support began for Rev. Osbert James for his ministry in Grenada with contributions of $100.00 per month. The church purchased a new copier and voted to purchase a used van. Members of the congregation made a mission trip to Blackwolf, West Virginia, to help remodel their education building.

In 1996, a Dodge Van was purchased and a new sound system was purchased for the sanctuary. Jack Rose, Associate Pastor, went on a mission trip to the Ukraine as part of the North Carolina Convention's outreach, and money was raised to send twelve people to Grenada on a mission trip.

In 1997, the Nominating committee secured eight members to serve on a Wedding Policy Committee. As a result, a charge for weddings held in the church was put into action. A Personnel Committee Job Description was established for the first time. Money was raised to send 17 youth and adults to New York on a mission trip. Money was also raised to send ten members to Grenada for a VBS Mission trip. On October 1st, Mrs. Pansy Moore and Mrs. Mary Smith gave up the extension work after 31 years of service and a total of 2,890 visits. Money was raised to send another group to Blackwolf, West Virginia, for VBS.

In 1998, the Acteens went to the National Acteens Convention and several people went on a mission trip to East St. Louis. Over 100 people planned and took part in "Operation-In-As-Much" helping in the surrounding areas of the church for mission work. Several people went to Caswell to work on the cottages and do electrical wiring. In April, a group from the church went to Blackwolf Baptist Church in West Virginia to put a roof on their educational building. Two church signs were erected and the adult choir purchased 35 new robes. The baby grand Steinway "M" sanctuary piano was rebuilt and refinished. The locks on the church were changed and a cleaning service was hired to clean the church. A Labor Of Love Ministry, which is a ministry reaching out in the community with free food and clothing, was begun. On October 25th, Rev. Roy and Linda Cantrell were honored with a retirement dinner after having completed 24 years of sacrificial service. Betsy Leach made a mission trip to Africa to teach a ladies' conference.

In early January, the Intentional Interim Program committee began their search for an Interim Pastor. On March 7, Rev. Lee Stocks came as Intentional Interim, and he and his wife, Doris Stocks became members of Abbott's Creek Baptist Church. After the resignation of music director, Ann Joyce, the search began for an Interim Music Director. On August 1st, this position was filled by Rev. David Clemens.

Since the month of August was named "Heritage Month," many old timey activities were observed. Old fashioned dress, dinner on the grounds, watermelon and homemade ice cream, gospel singing and much fellowship took place during the month.

In September, the church voted to purchase a new copier. Money was raised and a mission team was sent to South Africa for church construction work at Mogogelo Baptist Church. Betsy Leach returned alone to Africa on a mission trip. Several mission trips were made to Eastern North Carolina after Hurricane Floyd. Tarboro Baptist Church was the head-quarters for the teams. One team went to Mount Holly Baptist Church in October. Another team which included 14 members left on December 26.

The year 2000 has been as equally filled with mission endeavors. A team went to Nevis to build a house. The church voted to allow the Davidson County Board of Elections to use the fellowship hall as a voting place. A Mission statement was established through the T-Team for Abbott's Creek. A driveway for the cemetery was paved, which greatly enhances the cemetery. A parcel of land from Abbott's Creek Primitive Baptist Church and a parcel of land from Larry and Libby Essick was obtained to enlarge the cemetery.

In June, 2000, a team was sent to Arnoldsburg, West Virginia, on a VBS mission trip. A team also went to Blackwolf, West Virginia, on a VBS mission trip. Another team of eight went to Honduras to help build homes and witness for Christ through VBS. Baptist Men and Women held various fund raising projects this year and began a Youth/Parent Assisted Program in the youth department.

Since 1756, 35 pastors have served this church well. They are as follows:

Pastors that have served Abbott's Creek Missionary Baptist Church

James Younger 1755-1758
Daniel Marshall 1758-1763
George Winfield Pope 1763-1783
Ashley Swaim 1819-1832
Elder Eli Phillips ..... February 1833-1844
Assisted by Elders Wiseman, Crutchfield & Lanier
Elder Phillips served as Association Missionary one-half time & pastored other churches
William Hamner 1844-1848
Benjamin Lanier 1848-1850
William Turner 1850-1851
John Robertson 1851-1853
Benjamin Lanier 1853-1855
William Turner 1855-1859
Without A Pastor 1859-September 1861
John Robertson ..... September 1861-1863
J. B. Jackson 1863-1868
J. B. Richardson 1868-1871
G. W. Harmon ..... 1871 (finished the year)
William Turner 1872-1879
R. R. Moore 1879-1880
S. F. Conrad 1880-1882
S. H. Thompson 1882-1885
William Turner 1885-April 6, 1889
(died on way home from New Friendship)
J. N. Stalling ..... May, 1889-1893
J. M. Hilliard ..... January 1894-1904
Thomas Carrick 1904-1916
J. M. Hilliard (supply) 1917-1923
E. F. Mumford 1923-January 1937
T. W. Bray ..... June 1937-November 1940
B. A. Mitchell ..... March 1941-March 1949
A. B. Conrad (supply) ..... March 1949-August 1949
A. R. Snipes ..... August 1949-November 1950
Luther Morphis (supply) ..... November 1950-March 1951
W. H. Walton ..... March 1951-October 1962
Jimmy Hinson (supply) ..... October 1962-April 14, 1963
Joe D. Coltrane ..... April 14, 1963-January 1971
Charles Tanner ..... August 1971-March 1974
Charles Hodges (supply) ..... March 1974-October 1974
Roy Cantrell ..... October 1974-October 1998
Associational Pastors, Jack Rose, and others preached from October 1998 until March 1999
Lee Stocks (Intentional Interim) ..... March 1999-Present

Thank you, Zane Hedgecock and Evva Spurgeon, for compiling this history.

Respectfully submitted,
Vernelle Greene, Historian

MEMORIALS - LISTING OF DECEASED CHURCH MEMBERS

"Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints." Psalm 116:15
"Be thou faithful unto death, and I will give the a crown of life." Rev. 2:10b

Abbotts Creek
Mr. Monroe Beeson
Mr. Perry Bodenhamer
Mrs. Louise Brown
Mrs. Flossie Carmichael
Mrs. Betty Craven
Rev. George Dowd, Deacon
Mr. William Hayworth
Mrs. Lola Hedgecock
Mr. Davis Royal
Mrs. Louise Schlotfeldt
Mr. Beauford Sells
Mrs. Joyce Teague

Carolina Memorial
Ms. Blanche Buckner
Mr. Cecil Creasman
Mr. Willie Darr
Ms. Mabel Deaton
Mr. Horace Jarrell
Mr. Frank Kanoy
Ms. Gladys Leonard
Mr. R. G. Martin
Ms. Rosa Miller
Mr. Donald Smith
Mr Arvelle Yates

Center Hill
Mrs. Canary Bell
Mr. Clay Cooper
Mrs. Lillie Gourley
Mrs. Pernie Holcomb
Mrs. Sue Hunt
Mrs. Gladys Jarrett
Mrs. Maggie Taylor

Central
Mrs. Alline Misenheimer

Churchland
Mr. Vernon Greene
Mr. Shane Simerson
Mr. Frank Swicegood

Clearview
Rev. Troy Clement
Mrs. Emma Ledford

Coggins Memorial
Mr. Elvin Allen
Mrs. Pat Everhart
Mr. Walter Johnson, Sr.
Miss Janette Link
Mr. George Renner
Mr. Larry Stanley

Colonial
Mr. Virgil Merrill

Denton, First
Mr. Hoyle Cole
Mr. Bob Gallimore
Mrs. Annie Parker
Mrs. Violet White

Faith
Mr. Frank May

Greenwood
Charles Bass
Mrs. Ruth Brewer
Mrs. Melba Byerly
Mrs. Lila Deal
Mr. Alfred Ferguson
Mrs. Jean Richardson
Mrs. Grace Sink
Mrs. Maude Welborn
Mrs. Emma Whitley

High Rock
Mr. William Harvey Crenshaw

Hillside Park
Mrs. Doris Albright
Miss Mary Catlett
Mrs. Ethel Harrell
Rev. David Jarrett
Mrs. Ann Nelson
Mrs. Jewel Pharis

Holloways
Mr. Richard Galloway
Mr. Wilson Horne
Mrs. Vera Owen
Mr. John Palmer

Jersey
Mr. Forrest Carter
Mrs. Heutokah Conner
Mrs. Lena Coppley
Mrs. Peggy Smith
Mr. Pete Woodall
Mrs. Ethel Yarbrough

Lakeview
Mr. Richard Brown

Lexington, First
Ms. Charlotte Aaron
Mrs. Edna Allred
Mr. Paul Beck
Mrs. Pearl Brown
Mr. William Brown
Mrs. Cherry Coon
Mr. Sam Davis
Mrs. Agnes Everhart
Mrs. Margarette Fulghum
Mr. Bill Fulp
Mrs. Becky Garner
Mrs. Dorothy Gwynne
Mrs. Jesse Harris
Mr. Frank Holton, Jr.
Miss Mary Honeycutt
Mrs. Cornelia Conrad Martin
Miss Betty Lou Miller
Mr. F. L. Miller
Mr. Eddie Mize
Mr. C. A. Smith

Liberty
Mr. Douglas Flick
Mr. Vernon Luther
Mr. Billy Miller
Mrs. Ellen Myers
Mr. Clarence Swicegood, Deacon

Mills Home
Mrs. Willie Mae Baynes

New Friendship
Mrs. Ruby Inscore
Mr. Robert Murphy
Mrs. Pauline Norman
Mrs. Beulah Rushing
Mrs. Florence Teague

Oak Hill Memorial
Mrs. Ninevah Floyd
Mr. Frank Strickland
Mr. Dewey Welborn

Park Place
Mr. Frank Fallenstein
Mr. Fred Fraylick
Mr. Jackie Hoover

Reeds
Mr. Jack Craver
Ms. Bea Hardman
Mr. Danny Koonts
Ms. Magdalene Shoaf

Rich Fork
Mrs. Ruby Shuler
Mrs. Mozelle Woodlief

Smith Grove
Mr. Tommie Griffin
Mrs. Dorothy Kennedy
Mrs. Ellen Messick
Mr. Walter Orrell
Mr. Jack Snider

Southgate
Mrs. Alma Douthit
Mr. Bill Douthit
Mr. Kenneth Hill
Mrs. Della Spoolman

Southside
Mrs. Lala Synider Henderson
Mrs. Dorothy Hicks
Mrs. Jean Leonard
Mrs. Patricia Sheffield

Stoner's Grove
Mr. Billy W. Styers, Deacon

Summerville
Mr. Roy Byerly
Mr. Steve Loftin
Mrs. Pauline Bailey Owen

Thomasville, First
Ms. Mary Deaton
Mrs. Ruby Elliott
Ms. Amanda Franks
Mrs. Geneva Grant
Mr. Parker Hiatt
Master Clayton Livengood (Infant)
Mrs. Delores Myers
Mr. Bob Powell
Mrs. Ruby Ritchie
Mr. Leon "Pete" Rutherford
Mrs. Nellie Stinson
Mr. Clifford Swaim
Mrs. Bertha Tysinger
Mr. Jim Wilder

Trinity
Mrs. Ellen Barnette
Mrs. Mary Busby
Mrs. Margaret Carroll
Mr. Breece Waddell

Wallburg
Mr. Allen Richardson
Mrs. Kay Martin

Welcome, First
Mrs. Gloria Carrick
Mrs. Ruby Everhart
Mrs. Teressa Bemisderfer Hutchins
Mrs. Ruby Smith

MISSIONS DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE REPORT

The year 1999-2000 has been an exciting time for our association, as well as a busy time. The Missions Development Committee has tried to be very diligent in our planning during this year. In a joint effort with the Evangelism Committee, plans were formulated for a World Missions Conference (Missions Celebration) and for simultaneous revivals in 2001 called: "Jesus: The Light of the World."

One of our major projects was the development of a Mission Statement for the association, and then to sponsor listening sessions throughout the association to share the impact of the statement for our churches. Cooperative Agreements (requests for funds from the Baptist State Convention of NC) were dealt with in January's meeting.

In all of our meetings we have had informative reports from all our committee members that help us to be visionary in planning for our association.

Our Missions Development Committee expresses appreciation to Dr. Jack Gentry for his love and concerns for our association during his time as Interim Director of Missions. His genuine care will always be appreciated.

On June 6, 2000, the committee met with Rev. Michael Ester, the new Director of Missions to share past planning sessions and to look into the future as we work together as churches united in purpose. One very important event will be *"Every Member Training Night"* which will be at Rich Fork Baptist Church on November 16, 2000.

The Missions Development Committee is very concerned about beginning new work in the county. The Finance Committee and Executive Board joined in this concern by approving funds for new work in the coming year.

In the last meeting, the group discussed the immediate need for a van for the Christian Activity Center in East St. Louis. It was felt the committee should show concern first, so the members pledged $1,000 committee adjournment.

We have a desire to serve our Lord Jesus Christ, to be led by His Spirit to fulfil the Great Commandment and the Great Commission as a part of God's Family of Churches.

Respectfully submitted,
Gary Myers, Chairman

SEAMEN'S SERVICE MINISTRY

Morehead City NC

Realizing the need for a ministry to visiting international seamen, members of the Carteret County Ministerial Association requested a site from the N. C. State Ports Authority. Permission was granted and a Seamen's Ministry Committee was formed. In September of' 1971, the Seamen's Center, in a specially designed mobile unit, opened its doors.

It was officially dedicated as the Center for an ecumenical Christian ministry providing a "Home Away From Home" for foreign seamen with special emphasis on distribution of the Scriptures. The Seamen's Ministry Committee, representing many of' the Carteret County churches, elected Lenwood Lee of First Presbyterian Church, Morehead City, as chairperson. The Committee realized early the need for an on-site Director to visit the ships regularly, to coordinate the dozens of volunteers to serve as port chaplain and to manage the operation of the Center. Accordingly, in 1972, Col. D. H. Fredrick, a retired Air Force chaplain, was engaged part time, and in 1975, he was appointed Director of the Seamen's Service Ministry. Col. Fredrick was admirably well qualified for this position and he served faithfully and effectively for many years. In late 1986, he relinquished the ministry because of failing health.

The Seamen's Committee, under the leadership of Chairman Bill Loftin, First Baptist Church, Beaufort, in early 1987, requested Lenwood Lee, who had been actively associated with the ministry from the beginning and who had just retired as Superintendent of Carteret County Schools, to become the Director of the Seamen's Service Ministry. Mr. Lee agreed to assume the responsibility with his wife, Ernestine, as Assistant and Coordinator of Volunteers. The Lees are currently serving in this capacity, ably assisted and supported by volunteers from eight local churches, who are the real ministers of this outreach.

At the outset the Seamen's Center and ministry were under the umbrella sponsorship of the Bogue Banks Resort Ministries. In 1989, at the request of the parent organization, the Seamen's ministry achieved

its own corporate status as a charitable organization under the laws of North Carolina. It is now governed by its own by-laws and elected Board of Directors. Bill Loftin is President of the Board, which is made up of representatives from eight area churches. The ministry has been approved by the I.R.S. to receive tax-deductible contributions. It is financed by private contributions, by local churches, and higher church courts, including the N. C. Methodist Conference, the Presbytery of Coastal Carolina, and the Atlantic Baptist Association.

Over the 26 years of its life the ministry has been staffed by dozens of volunteers from county churches who respond to the challenge of ministry to strangers in our community. Tens of thousands of contacts between the volunteers and visiting seamen from the world over have been recorded. Many thousands of these men and women have to talked their families over Center telephones. Thousands of Bibles and other pieces of gospel literature have been distributed. Many seamen have been entertained in area homes and have enjoyed tours of the local area. They spend tremendous amounts of money in the restaurants and shopping malls. Each year at Christmas men and women and boys and girls from area churches supply hundreds of small gifts which are distributed to the seamen. Women's groups in the local churches have faithfully furnished cookies and snacks for them to enjoy, and enjoy them they have all these years! Thousands of magazines and books have been given to seamen to ease the boredom of long ocean voyages. In point of fact, literally hundreds of Carteret County, and beyond, supporters have been cooperatively involved in what is truly an ecumenical outreach in the name of Jesus Christ.

Although our contact with seamen is frequently very brief, their expressions of appreciation are almost universal. "This is a nice place." "We like it here." "Thank you for everything." "Is free? (Bible or other items)." "Thank you very much." "Is possible to phone call ?" "Family O.K." Sometimes things on the ship or at home are not "O.K." and these are opportunities to listen, to empathize, to counsel, and to pray. The Bible enjoins us to "Be not forgetful to entertain strangers for thereby some have entertained angels unawares." The Seamen's Ministry affords an unusual opportunity to express care and concern in a variety of ways to these strangers in our midst. What a blessing to have a part in it.

Although directed primarily toward international seamen involved in commercial shipping, the Center also serves U. S. military personnel at the Port. During the Gulf Deployment, hundreds of Marines and Navy personnel used our facility as they went and came. Truckers are also welcome at the Center.

For 23 years the ministry radiated from this mobile unit, although we were able to add a recreation room which helped our offerings and the enjoyment of our clientele considerably. However, hurricanes, normal wear and tear of constant use, and age began to take its toll on our facility, which was also too small and too obsolete for our program. Our faithful volunteers also deserved a better work environment.

Accordingly, our Board of Directors decided in 1993 that we should make plans for a new building (Center) and seek funds for construction. We began to pray and work to that end. An unexpected unsolicited gift of $5,000 - the largest ever received by the ministry - really encouraged us. Building plans were developed and fund raising strategies effected. Our volunteers unselfishly dug in their own pockets. Stanley Harrell agreed to serve as Chairman of our fund raising campaign. Churches, businesses, and individuals, including many seamen, joined in the effort.

A large construction grant was obtained by application from the International Transport Federation Trust Fund and Mr. Jack Adams, PA, was engaged as our design consultant. Proper permits were obtained, a 30 year lease on the property was negotiated with the N. C. Ports Authority - which has always been very cooperative with the ministry - and finally construction was begun.

The old mobile home Center was relocated nearby to assure continuous operation as well as to clear the site for the new Center. After many, many problems, and temporary setbacks, the prayers of the people, the generosity of many people, and the blessings of God, the new Center was completed and occupied in October of 1995, and was officially dedicated on Sunday, November 26, 1995. A long standing dream was realized. We now have a beautiful 3,000 square foot, electrically heated and air conditioned facility, from which to reach out to seafarers the world over for generations to come. Praise God! Not only that, but the facility and its furnishings are debt free. Praise God again!

T. L. Lee, Director of Ministry

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT

Vacation Bible School continues to be a great means of reaching Children, Youth, and Adults for Bible Study and Evangelism. This year our Theme was ***Ocean Oddessy***. Two training opportunities were conducted in Liberty Association. An *Early Planning Conference* was conducted on February 15. On Tuesday, May 2 an age-graded conference was conducted for all VBS workers. These two events were well attended with a total of 181 enrolled.

Liberty Baptist Association had a total of 4,894 enrolled in VBS with 87 professions of faith being reported. Praise the Lord for every person enrolled and for all who worked in any capacity to make VBS available for Children, Youth, and Adults in Liberty Association! This is the largest VBS enrollment in our association in several years. Thank you for giving VBS the place of priority in your church and for providing Bible Study opportunities for all ages.

Plans are already in place for VBS 2001. An *Early Planning Conference* will be provided on ***February* 20** and a *VBS Conference* for all ages will be conducted on ***May 1***. Please pray for the Associational VBS Team and for each Liberty Baptist Association church as VBS is conducted. Pray that lives will be changed as God's word is shared.

Thank you for the opportunity to serve as VBS Director in Liberty Baptist Association this year.

Rev. Stuart White
Associational VBS Director

VOLUNTEER MISSIONS/PARTNERSHIP COMMITTEE REPORT

Liberty Baptist Association's first committee by this name has seen a very active year as far as volunteers from the churches are concerned. Since there is no need for churches to carry out volunteering by reporting to a committee, or even the association, we have no way of knowing the "exacts" in participation. We can safely say: there has been more volunteer involvement in this associational year than any previous times. The flood in eastern North Carolina opened the door for hundreds of volunteers from Davidson County. Numerous church groups took on specific projects and worked to their completion. Several churches which have never participated in a mission trip before were greatly involved in the rebuilding efforts after the flood. Church groups developed personal and meaningful relationships and friendships with families they assisted with rebuilding.

Certain recommendations were made to the Executive Committee representing the goals that were projected. Participation in the BLITZ effort for workers in the eastern part of the state, December 26-31, was endorsed.

A recommendation was made to erect a storage building on the present associational property. When the recommendation passed, further recommendation was presented to elect a committee of Carl Hunt, John Gore, Mike Rinehardt, Bill Beck and Jimmy Lawson to study needs, size, cost and whatever else was needed before reporting back to the Executive Committee.

Partnership involvement included four recommendations for consideration. A team was needed for rebuilding homes in Honduras during the week of July 31-August 8, and a team went from the association for this purpose. It can be noted that other teams went to Honduras from various churches. A medical team was also suggested but this was not possible.

The effort to enlist and send a team to East St. Louis June 25-August 1 was approved, and these volunteers, representing our association, served during this week. At least two other church groups spent a week at the Christian Activity Center in East St. Louis, assisting with the work of the Center. The second recommendation involving the Christian Activity Center was made, which was an effort (which was successfully carried out) to send supplies for use at the Center such as soap and paper towels.

It is the prayerful hope of the committee that the numerous involvements during 1999-2000 will encourage more churches and more people to see this as an avenue for serving.

Respectfully submitted, Roy Cantrell, Chairman
Betty Bradshaw, John Gore, Carl Hunt, Betsy Leach, Gary Myers, Janet Sharpe

WMU LITERATURE MINISTRY

The collection and recycling of used Sunday School literature, Bibles, Commentaries, tapes, videos, and devotional materials is a ministry of Liberty Baptist Association through the WMU.

At the end of each quarter, the used (and unused) literature from each church in the Association is gathered, sorted, boxed by volunteers and shipped to the following places for redistribution around the world.

1. Eagle Nest Ministries, Butler, Illinois
2. New York Baptist Convention, Partnership Ministry
3. Hands for Christ, Roanoke, Virginia
4. Pilgrim's Tract Society, Randleman
5. Christian Activity Center, East St. Louis, Illinois (Inner city ministry led by Chet Cantrell).

We also hand deliver materials, "good" magazines, books and Bibles to Davidson Correctional Center for Men, North Piedmont Correctional Center for Women and Montgomery County Prison Center in Troy.

This past year some churches have begun packaging and mailing their own literature to the above addresses. Others have sent donations to the association for the ministry totaling $145.00.

From September 1999 through August 2000, the Association has shipped 89 boxes of literature at a cost of $1,014.27. In addition, two boxes for Hands for Christ, three boxes for Pilgrim's Tract Society, and four boxes to local prisons were hand delivered by volunteers who were traveling to these destinations. Large denomination stamps, previously purchased by the Association for this ministry, were used to mail seven packages for $89.89.

Many thanks to the volunteers and churches for your continuing support of this ministry.

Respectfully submitted,
Maurine Perryman
Goldia Spivey

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION REPORT

"Transformed-- Take a Stand " was the theme for 1999-2000. The Associational WMU focused efforts on helping Christians find new ways to grow spiritually. The leadership team met once each quarter to plan and evaluate events.

To encourage missions learning, Shelby Hedgecock and Lillian Jenkins conducted a Mother-Daughter retreat for Girls in Action at Camp Mundo Vista. Women on Mission consultants, Linda Skeen and Ava Turner, and the associational WMU leadership team chose a different agenda for the WOM fall meeting. Personal growth seminars on witnessing and being an effective missions leader were offered at First Baptist, Welcome, along with a brunch hosted by the Women on Mission. Phyllis Elliott Elvington was the inspirational speaker for the event.

In the fall of the year, WMU promoted several churchwide missions projects. Toy Store Ministry: Chairperson Linda Skeen reported toys were supplied for 215 children in 81 families. Prison Gift Ministry: Chairwoman Lynn Garner reported that gifts were distributed to 246 men and 120 women inmates at both correctional centers in Davidson County. Average cost of each gift was $25. Many churches also participated in Operation Christmas Child to distribute Christmas gifts to poor children in many countries. In addition, we promoted the Season of Prayer for International Missions and the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering. The theme for 1999 was "The Unfinished Task: Loving the Lost."

Other on-going projects promoted by WMU include literature distribution of used Sunday School, missions, and other Christian literature to five sites. We continue to search for ways to support the work of Chet and Michelle Cantrell in East St. Louis, IL, at the Christian Activity Center. Many volunteers have gone to help there and many others have donated supplies and funds.

In the spring of 2000, thoughts turned to North American missions to promote the Season of Prayer and Annie Armstrong Easter Offering. The theme "By All Means!" focused on use of media and technology in missions.

One highlight of the WMU year was the annual meeting held March 11, 2000, at First Baptist Church of Lexington. Crosswalk, a drama team, presented the theme interpretation "Transformed--Take a Stand." Dr. Jack Gentry, the Interim Director of Missions, gave a challenging plea to work together for the cause of missions in the world. After lunch, participants had opportunity to attend two of five seminars: Christian Women's Job Corps, witnessing, creative missions teaching, using drama in the church, and combating violence.

In April, Coggins Memorial Baptist Church hosted a lock-in for teen-aged girls, led by Acteens consultants, Angie Buie and Janet Sharpe. Girls were given information on a variety of topics, including self-protection, health issues. Betsy Leach shared about her volunteer mission trip to South Africa. Acteens also had a "Day in the Park" at Finch Park in Lexington in August. Sandy Motley, Davidson Medical Ministries, was guest speaker .

Coed groups have increased in number in Liberty Association. Betsy Leach reported one Adults on Mission group, seven Youth on Mission, and four Children-in-Action groups exist. She has talked with several persons regarding starting coed groups and sent letters to keep groups informed.

Missions Extravaganzas, State WMU weekends, were held at Ridgecrest two separate times, this year due to the large number of people who wanted to attend. March 31-April 2 and May 5-7, 2000. The weekends were filled with mission speakers and about one hundred conferences to help age-level WMU leaders and members improve their skills and explore ways to serve God and grow spiritually.

Mission Friends, led by Tamara Wray, held a day camp at Liberty Baptist in June. Earlene Wray shared her experiences in Grifton, NC, and in Russia. The children also participated in many craft and food activities pertaining to Native Americans in South Dakota.

One of the boldest challenges for the year of 2000 is the challenge the associational WMU accepted to raise $30,000 for the renovation of a cabin at Camp Mundo Vista. We call it our "Dime A Day" campaign. Each church is being asked to contribute to help preserve and improve Mundo Vista camp near Asheboro. Many testimonies have been given about the importance of Mundo Vista in the spiritual development of girls. This "Dime A Day" project is part of the emphasis to dream big and expect results *"beyond belief!"*

One continues to see many WMU members commit to short-term missions projects and trips in 1999-2000. It is truly believed that WMU members have taken the challenge to be transformed and will take a stand for Jesus Christ.

Judy Yarbrough
Associational WMU Director

Annuity Board Report
2000

The Annuity Office of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina in partnership with the Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention provides services related to retirement planning, financial support of ministers and other church employees, life and health insurance programs, and church/clergy tax issues. During this past year numerous conferences, consultations, etc. were conducted to service our churches and church employees related to these issues. Education continues to be a number one priority since so many people do not participate in the plans simply because they are not aware of the great benefits.

On January 1, 2000, the Annuity Board began offering The Ministers' Annuity Plan. This new product is particularly designed for the minister who has self-employment income from performing services (i.e. weddings, funerals, revivals, writing) as a Southern Baptist minister, and others who may not qualify for one of the other Annuity Board retirement plans. Eligibility can be determined by contacting the Annuity Board's customer service area.

The Southern Baptist Convention in annual session in June, 2000, approved changes to the Annuity Board's Mission Statement and two new Ministry Assignments. The changes will now allow the Annuity Board to offer personal investing for Southern Baptist ministers and denominational employees and their spouses, and to assist churches and denominational entities by making available institutional investment services through cooperative agreements with state Baptist foundations.

As of May 31, 2000, there were 4,561 active participants in the annuity retirement plan from 61% of our North Carolina churches. The money contributed by individuals, churches, and the matching contributions from the state convention is invested according to the individual participant's financial goals and risk tolerance with the overall aim to help participants ensure their security in old age. The number of persons in North Carolina receiving retirement benefits totals 2,807 with another 368 assisted through the Adopt An Annuitant and Relief ministries. Funds for supplemental assistance are provided from the Cooperative Program, the Retired Ministers' Support Fund, and the Adopt An Annuitant plan.

For more information related to Annuity Board products and services, call the Baptist State Convention at 1-800-395-5102 extension 174 or call the Annuity Board at 1-800-262-0511 or visit the Annuity Board Web site at www.absbc.org.

Respectfully

Submitted,

Johnny Ross

Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina

"Quality Service Through Quality Relationships" is not just a slogan. It is a foundational statement of philosophy. In our ministry, relationships are everything — relationships with children, with families, with placement agencies, with our own families and churches, and with each other. We are blessed by God in this work because we honor God in relationships.

During the QSTQR emphasis, all BCH staff at every ministry point have made extra efforts to strengthen relationships with the people we encounter. We have incorporated the terms quality, service and relationships into a plan of action. We have reflected our desire for quality relationships in everything we do in order to deliver quality services that change lives. QSTQR, celebrating the mission . . . the millennium . . . the ministry, was BCH's theme from Easter, 1999 through Thanksgiving, 2000.

Through Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina, hundreds of children and families are given new hope for their futures. . .

Children like Linda and her two younger sisters. Linda feared for their well being. It was her responsibility to care for her sisters. Linda remembers moving to a shelter where she finally felt they were safe; there was enough food for the sisters and warm beds. The three children were later placed at BCH. Now, Linda is in a place where others care for her. Linda has discovered God cares for her, too.

The McDonalds found the challenge of being a blended family difficult at times. Their son began to exhibit anger toward his parents. He would challenge their authority and began getting in trouble with some neighborhood kids. The situation was getting out of control. Corey's parents called BCH, where they a found a staff willing to embrace their family with hope. Today, Corey has begun to deal with his anger, mistrust and behavior issues. His parents are learning how to better communicate with each other and with Corey.

During the past year, BCH served 1800 children and families through 13 facilities statewide. BCH operates residential campuses in Thomasville, Pembroke, Kinston and Clyde; a maternity home in Asheville; a teen mother/baby home in Lenoir; values change homes for girls in Franklin and Lenoir; therapeutic camping for boys in Cameron; emergency care cottages at the residential campuses and in Waynesville and Asheville; and a model day care center in Thomasville.

In 2000, BCH began a new, innovative ministry caring for developmentally disabled adults and their families. Our Trustees unanimously approved a major undertaking this year by committing more than $3.5 million to replace, repair, construct and make-much needed improvements at every BCH location. Most of the work is complete. You are invited to visit our cam-

puses and other facilities to see first hand the difference you are helping us to make.

The commitment to quality has been a cornerstone of this institution since its beginning. **"Quality Service Through Quality Relationships"** was a 20-month public demonstration of this cornerstone. The emphasis places top priority on relationships to achieve the highest quality of service possible. Significant growth has been realized during this period. BCH has dedicated new structures at Odum Home, Cameron Boys Camp, Kennedy Home, Broyhill and Mills Home campuses and added new work in Waynesville and Asheville as well as Moody Home, Care House, Noel Group Home. Several significant anniversaries have been observed: the 85th of Kennedy Home in Kinston, the 30th of Baptist Maternity Home in Asheville, the 20th of Cameron Boys Camp, the 40th annual Western Area Conference, and the 115th anniversary of Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina.

To help commemorate BCH's 115th anniversary and to celebrate the impact QSTQR has had on staff and children, approximately 600 children, administrators, childcare workers, social workers and staff were brought together June 28, 2000 from around the state for a day of inspiration, fellowship, food and fun. **"The Family Gathering"** was held at Mills Home where BCH began in 1885. This is the first time all the Baptist Children's Homes' "family" have been together at the same place and at the same time.

Baptist Children's Homes QSTQR emphasis will culminate at Thanksgiving. We invite you to attend BCH's 30 minute presentation at the 2000 annual meeting of the Baptist State Convention in Winston-Salem on Tuesday, November 14, 2000 at 2:10 pm. We encourage you to be part of our ambitious $1 million Thanksgiving Offering goal. That number may seem enormous, but there is also enormous need. For all the good North Carolina Baptists are doing to help children and families, there is still so much that needs to be done. We are confident our churches will help us meet this important goal!

The support of North Carolina Baptists through the Thanksgiving Offering, Cooperative Program, and individual gifts, memorials, honors, bequests and estate gifts help enable us fulfill our mission statement: **"helping hurting children . . . healing broken families."**

North Carolina's **"largest family"** is grateful to North Carolina Baptists for prayers and support. To secure a video or a speaker for your church, or for information about our services, please call (336) 474-1209.

Michael C. Blackwell, President
Ward F. Mullis, Chairman, Board of Trustees

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Baptist Retirement Homes: "A Half-Century of Service"

For almost 50 years, the front porch has been a favorite spot of residents and guests at The Taylor House in Albemarle. This residence is an assisted living community made possible by the gifts of North Carolina Baptists.

In March 2001, the Baptist Retirement Homes of North Carolina will celebrate 50 years of service to Older Adults. It has been a wonderful half-century, and the "Homes" is thankful for the privilege of sharing in the life journeys of thousands of "Aging Saints."

The quality of life the "Homes" has brought to these Older Adults has been its best measure of success as it has helped ensure that residents live out their lives with autonomy, dignity, and comfort. The "Homes'" dream is to make life for North Carolina Older Adults what God intended it to be... "The Best of Times."

The "Homes" corporation now owns and operates four retirement communities across the state: the Brookridge Retirement Community in Winston-Salem, a continuing care community offering independent living, assisted living and nursing care; the Western North Carolina Home in Asheville, a community that offers assisted living and nursing care; and the Hamilton Home in Hamilton and The Taylor House in Albemarle, communities that offer assisted living services. Later this year the "Homes" will begin construction on a new community — The Gardens of Taylor Glen, a continuing care community near Concord.

The generous support the "Homes" has received from North Carolina Baptists has enabled it to make a unique promise to its residents: *whatever the future may hold, Baptist Retirement Homes will care for them for the rest of their lives.* Keeping this promise means overcoming many challenges. By 2020 North Carolinians past retirement age will make up 20 percent of the population. While medical science has prolonged life, the effects of aging are often intensified and extended over many years. Many Older Adults exhaust their personal resources and look to the "Homes" for significant financial assistance.

Still Baptist Retirement Homes stands ready to make good its promise of ongoing compassionate and quality care.

Whatever the future may hold, Baptist Retirement Homes will care for its residents for the rest of their lives.

Baptist Elder Care Network

A statewide system of resource counselors answering questions related to the needs of aging persons — A free service provided by Baptist Retirement Homes

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BIBLICAL RECORDER

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Biblical Recorder Associational Report
June, 2000

Since 1833, the *Biblical Recorder* has served North Carolina Baptists as the official news journal of the Baptist State Convention. Founded by Thomas Meredith, the *Biblical Recorder* was owned and operated as a private enterprise until 1938, when the paper was purchased by and incorporated as an agency of the Baptist State Convention.

The *Biblical Recorder* promotes God's kingdom work in accordance with its mission statement: ***"Our Mission is to further Christ's kingdom among North Carolina Baptists by providing relevant news, insightful opinions and supportive resources in a timely and accessible fashion."***

As an agency belonging to all North Carolina Baptists, the *Biblical Recorder* provides balanced news coverage of Baptist news from throughout the state and reflects opinions representative of the diversity that is typical of our churches. The *Recorder* also includes periodic features designed to offer ideas, encouragement, and inspiration to readers.

In keeping with current needs, the *Biblical Recorder* maintains a frequently used site on the World Wide Web. This site (www.biblicalrecorder.org) offers Internet users an opportunity to read much of each paper's content several days before printed versions arrive. This is particularly helpful during convention meetings and at other times when frequent updates are desirable. As time and resources allow, additional features are being added to make the site an even more valuable source of information for North Carolina Baptists.

The *Biblical Recorder* works in partnership with the Baptist State Convention and receives annual support from Cooperative Program gifts as an agency of the Convention. This support makes it possible to offer the *Recorder* for just pennies per issue. The *Biblical Recorder* has not raised subscription rates in five years, but a string of steep postage hikes will almost certainly necessitate modest increases in subscription prices beginning in 2001.
Currently, the annual rates (including tax) are:

- Every Home Plan (20%+ of church families, paid through the church budget) - $7.42
- Club Plan (4 or more persons in a church subscribe together) - $8.48
- Individual Subscription - $10.60

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Christian higher education represents one of our enduring values as North Carolina Baptists. From the founding of our Convention in 1830, we have supported Christian higher education. Our churches, associations, and state have benefited as a result.

Last year North Carolina Baptists provided special scholarship assistance to members from our churches who chose to attend one of our affiliated colleges or universities. Sixty-eight out of eighty associations were represented among the hundreds of students who received this special Convention sponsored scholarship assistance.

The institutions matched the Convention's support of these Baptists students through institutional support. For every dollar provided to students through the Cooperative Program, the institutions matched it with $2.50 of additional financial assistance. Forty-five percent (45%) of the on-campus student populations are Baptists.

In addition to support of undergraduates, North Carolina Baptists assisted 297 divinity school students last year. This financial assistance was made possible through churches giving through optional giving Plans B and C. Members from our churches who have sensed God's call upon their lives to serve as ministers or missionaries are eligible to receive a theological educational grant from the Convention.

If a student pursues their degree from the divinity schools at Gardner-Webb or Campbell, the student is eligible to receive a grant of $8,100. If a student pursues his or her theological education from other institutions, the student is eligible to receive a grant of $3,000 for their studies.

Reverend Shane Kirby recently graduated from the M. Christopher White School of Divinity at Gardner-Webb University. Upon graduation, Mr. Kirby said, *"I couldn't be more happy that I was able to obtain my master's at a North Carolina Baptist institution. I look at it like the Baptists of this state invested in me. Now, I feel a sense of responsibility to the good people of my denomination to serve them."*

North Carolina Baptists can take pride in graduates, like Mr. Kirby, who want to serve our Lord and his churches in North Carolina.

Without the faithful support of the Cooperative Mission Budget of the Baptist State Convention, opportunities for our members to attend Campbell, Chowan, Gardner-Webb, Mars Hill or Wingate would not be possible.

Thank you North Carolina Baptists for your continued support of Christian higher education in our state.

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THE NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST FOUNDATION, INC.
1999 ANNUAL REPORT

The mission of the North Carolina Baptist Foundation since its inception in 1920 has been to assist the Convention and its institutions and agencies in increasing an awareness among North Carolina Baptists of Christian estate stewardship principles as a means of financially undergirding churches, institutions and mission endeavors on a permanent basis. The uniqueness of the ministries and services provided by the institutions and General Board staff merits increased financial support. The Foundation accomplishes these objectives by offering assistance in estate planning counsel, Will preparation, planned giving, charitable remainder trusts, endowment funds and church fund management.

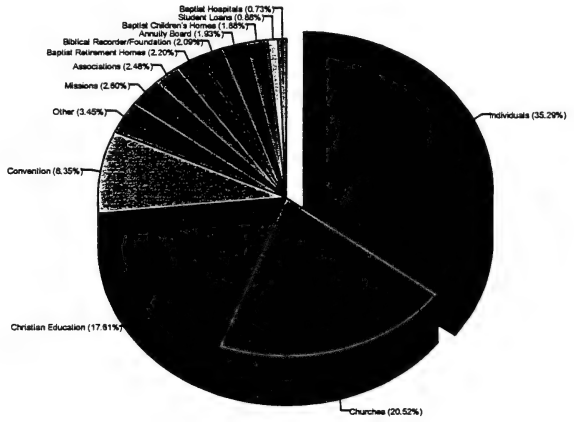
During 1999, the Foundation provided assistance to individuals in establishing 20 endowment funds and 12 charitable remainder trusts totaling $3.8 million and received $2.8 million in contributions to existing endowments all of which will ultimately benefit countless Baptist causes on a permanent basis. Programs were provided for 122 churches and associations during the year to promote Make Your Will Month, Christian estate stewardship, and church fund management. Over $3 million from churches and institutions came under management to enhance numerous ministries including scholarships, building funds, cemetery funds, benevolence funds, general operating funds and other various mission causes.

The Foundation employs professional money managers to invest these funds according to an investment policy adopted by its Board. Four investment pools are offered: a growth fund, a balanced fund, an income fund and a fixed income fund. The Foundation uses the services of Salomon Smith Barney to help select top money managers and evaluate performance.

As of December 31, 1999, the Foundation held $93,355,200 under management. This is an increase of more than $12.5 million over 1998. During 1999, $1,864,044 was distributed to individuals and $3,418,543 to Baptist work for a total distribution of $5,282,587. During the 80-year history of The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc., $16,081,204 has been distributed to individuals and $25,723,551 to Baptist churches, institutions and mission causes for a grand historical total of $41,804,755.

Terry Alford, Chair, Board of Directors
M. Clay Warf, Executive Director

The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc.
1999 Distributions



Meeting the Challenges of Health Care

2000 *Report to the Associations*

HOSPITAL CONTINUES THE MISSION

In May of 2000 The North Carolina Baptist Hospitals, Inc. celebrated 77 years of regional, national, and international service. During these years the hospital has been faithful to the initial vision of the North Carolina Baptist State Convention. When the hospital opened the convention stated the reason for doing so was: to extend the healing ministry which was demonstrated by Jesus Christ. Many challenges have been faced through these years, but the commitment to compassionately strive for innovative excellence has remained the same.

BAPTIST BENEVOLENT CARE FUND

Baptist churches from all across North Carolina joined us in mutual mission through the Mother's Day Offering. This annual ingathering of love was approved by the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina in 1924. In 1999 the MDO amounted to $531,452. These funds were used exclusively to help patients who had minimal or no health care insurance and had no other financial means to pay their hospital bills. From the offering this past year, well over $200,000 was used to assist members of our Baptist churches in North Carolina.

SCHOOL OF PASTORAL CARE

During the year the Department of Chaplaincy and Pastoral Education provided worship services in Davis Chapel on Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Sunday as well as services in the J. Paul Sticht Center. Chaplain supervisors, residents and interns made more than 50,000 ministry contacts last year. The Department's fully accredited Clinical Pastoral Education program graduated 65 students.

The Department of Pastoral Counseling, CareNet, Inc., continues to develop its ministries. There are now 16 Christian counseling centers located across the state. The newest center is now open in Greenville and is the staging ground for serving northeast North Carolina. During the year these professionally staffed centers provided 27,293 hours of Christian counseling, making CareNet the largest pastoral counseling system in the United States.

The Center for Congregational Health, Inc. continues to develop its mission of helping congregations become healthier communities of faith. **Programs and assistance** offered to churches include Intentional Interim Ministry, strategic planning, staff and team development, and conflict management. **Resources for ministers** include: Young Leaders Program, Leadership Development Group, Interim Ministry Training, and Intentional Interim Ministry training. The Center has served an average of 21 North Carolina Baptist congregations a month during the past year.

FACTS ABOUT WAKE FOREST UNIVERSITY BAPTIST MEDICAL CENTER

- With more than 9,600 employees, we are the largest employer in Forsyth and Guilford counties.
- A Certificate of need was granted for a 47,000 square foot Downtown Health Plaza to be built replacing the Reynolds Health Center, which provides health care for underserved people in Forsyth and surrounding counties.
- Building strong relationships with the community is important to us. A recent survey indicates that Medical Center employees donate more than 30,000 hours of volunteer service a year to more than 300 different organizations in our area.
- Construction has begun on a 350,000 square foot addition atop Ardmore Tower. This will provide more space for Brenner Children's Hospital as well as additional operating suites and private patient rooms.

ADDITIONAL POINTS OF EMPHASIS AND PROGRESS

New Dental Program For Indigent Children - Baptist Hospital has become a major participant in a community partnership to provide dental care for indigent children. NCBH opened a dental clinic on May 8, 2000, where three dentists are treating hundreds of children who previously had little or no access to dental services. Children who had known dental pain as a way of life, or who never had routine services because their parents could not afford it, are now being treated.

Physician Excellence - In 1999, 600 physicians in North Carolina were listed among "The Best Doctors in America"; 95 are WFUBMC physicians.

Nursing Excellence - Baptist Hospital was one of the first hospitals in the nation to receive Magnet Recognition for Excellence in Nursing, demonstrating exemplary nursing leadership and quality patient care from the American Nurses Credentialing Center, the nation's leading nursing credentialing organization.

Ranked Among The Nation's Best - North Carolina Baptist Hospitals, Inc., continues to be ranked among America's best hospitals in ten of 16 specialties, according to rankings published in the July, 2000 issue of *U.S. News & World Report.* This ranking reflects the reputation of specialists at NCBH as seen by their peers across the nation.

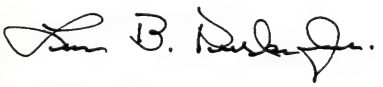
Newest Treatment For Epilepsy - Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center offers a new treatment for epilepsy - a "pacemaker for the brain" that can help control seizures in patients who are not helped by medication and are ineligible for surgery.

Information And Appointments - For more information or to make an appointment with a physician, contact HEALTH-ON-CALL at 1(800)-446-2255 or 336-716-2255.

A CLOSING WORD FROM THE PRESIDENT

From its dedication on May 28, 1923 to the present, North Carolina Baptist Hospital has been committed to our mission of providing the highest quality health care to our patients and their families in a compassionate, caring manner. This report reflects how our mission and values of excellence, compassion, innovation, and integrity are lived out every day. As a Medical Center we continue to be one of the leading research centers in the United States. We provide a wide array of comprehensive health care, across the spectrum of life, to people with the most severe medical conditions. Most importantly, this care is provided one person at a time in a way that reflects the Spirit of Christ, whose healing ministry forms our very foundation.

Respectfully submitted,



Len B. Preslar, Jr.
President
The North Carolina Baptist Hospitals, Incorporated

OTHER REPORTS

Christian Action League of North Carolina

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It is with humble gratitude that the Christian Action League of North Carolina serves the Lord Jesus Christ and the churches of this great state as a Beacon of light, guiding referendums and legislation through the murky waters of special-interest groups and educating God's people about the moral problems in our state and nation. Our goal is to encourage and organize the people of God so that our light will be seen brightly throughout our state; and when we speak, it will be in one accord and will resound loudly.

A. **Christian Values**

a. The Christian Action League again co-sponsored the Fifth Annual Christian Heritage Week of North Carolina held in March. It was our pleasure to provide awards for excellence to those high school students who won the essay contest on America's Christian background.
b. CAL has continued to promote and distribute copies of the Ten Commandments throughout North Carolina. To date, over 15,000 copies have been mailed.
c. Promoted awareness of worldwide persecution of Christians (particularly in Sudan) through email alerts and radio.
d. Participated with the American Family Association in distributing copies of our national motto posters "In God We Trust".
e. Joined with Family Life Ministries in promoting and distributing copies of the Marriage Covenant Certificates.
f. Participated in the National Day of Prayer.
g. Set up CAL exhibit at Baptist State Convention and the East and West Districts of the Wesleyan Church conferences.
h. Worked in the General Assembly to stop a bill that would allow physicians to take immediate custody of a child that they felt had been abused. The bill died in committee.

B. **Radio**

"Christians In Action", Station WAGO (88.7 FM) Snow Hill, started Monday, January 3, 2000. This broadcast consists of a five-minute commentary on issues that affect our lives today. We will begin airing this program on Aug. 7 on New Bern (WAAE, 91.9 FM). Our projection is to ultimately reach the whole state.

C. **Gambling**

a. Video Poker Machines - The Christian Action League worked round the clock to get video poker banned in this state. We failed getting the ban but were successful in getting SB 1542 to strengthen the law and restrict the operation and expansion of video gambling in the state. We will work vehemently next session in pushing for a ban.
b. Joined Christian Coalition in survey on how Gubernatorial candidates stood on lottery/released results in newsletter.
c. Next session the Christian Action League will be on the front line in the Legislature fighting a state-sponsored lottery.

D. **Abortion**

a. CAL has purchased the rights through donations of a surgical procedure on a 21-week old fetus that proves that partial-birth abortion is murder. We want to see this picture used extensively in making our case for the pro-life agenda.
b. CAL participated in the Right to Life Rally held in Raleigh.

E. **Alcohol**

a. Participated in four LBD campaigns since January 11, 2000, and there are three scheduled for a September referendum. We help with their organizational meetings, rallies and providing educational materials.
b. Worked in the General Assembly for passage of HB 1499-Interlock/Open Container law. This bill bans open alcohol containers in the passenger area of a motor vehicle on the highway or highway right-of-way. The bill was ratified on July 13.

E. **Pornography**

Have produced and aired several radio programs to inform the public of the internet pornography crisis. Educate communities on how they can rid their neighborhoods of adult establishments.

G. **Homosexuality**

CAL monitors and informs the Christian community of the current homosexual agenda through our email alert.

The Christian Action League of North Carolina produces a quarterly newsletter *The Beacon* that has a distribution of over 21,000. We also send out an email alert every Friday to over 150 members to keep them abreast of current moral, ethical and political issues that affect our state and nation. All services of the Christian Action League are provided at no charge. We depend on God's people to provid for His work.

Working For A Better North Carolina

Reverend Mark H. Creech
Executive Director

Joe S. Lennon
President

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Pursuant to §55A-2-02 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, the undersigned corporation does hereby submit these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a nonprofit corporation.

ARTICLE I
NAME

The name of the corporation is **LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION**

ARTICLE II
DESIGNATION

The corporation is a charitable or religious corporation within the meaning of N.C.G.S. §55A-1-40(4).

ARTICLE III
REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is Route 8, Box 610, Bud Kanoy Road, Thomasville, Davidson County, North Carolina, 27360-7839, and the initial registered agent at that office is *Dr.* Richard H. Capps, Director of Missions.

ARTICLE IV
INCORPORATORS

The names and addresses of the incorporators, acting as representatives of the members of Liberty Baptist Association are as follows:

Moderator: J. Stuart White, 5694 E. Holly Grove Road, Thomasville NC 27360
Vice Moderator: Robert W. Cook, 485 Jr. Order Home Road, Lexington NC 27292
Clerk: Gail S. Beck, 361 Light Road, Thomasville NC 27360
Treasurer: Raleigh F. York, Jr., 22 Forest Drive, Thomasville NC 27360

ARTICLE V
MEMBERS

The corporation shall have one class of members as provided in the bylaws. Members shall be received, rejected, or withdrawn as set forth in the bylaws. The Baptist churches which are members of Liberty Baptist Association immediately prior to the incorporation thereof automatically shall become members of the corporation.

ARTICLE VI
DISSOLUTION

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the board of directors shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for religious purposes as shall qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue law) as the board of directors shall determine. Any such assets not disposed of shall be disposed of by the District Court of the County in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

ARTICLE VII
PURPOSE

The purposes for which the corporation is organized are:

A. to assist the churches of Liberty Baptist Association in their divinely appointed mission and in cooperative relationships with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, the Southern Baptist Convention, and other Baptist entities to promote and provide opportunities for individual and collective participation in missions, evangelism, ministry, education, social services, and distribution of the Bible;

B. to engage in any lawful act or activities for which corporations may be organized under N.C. General Statutes Chapter 55A;

C. to engage in any lawful activity within the purposes for which the corporation may be organized which is incidental to and in furtherance of the exempt purposes of the corporation;

D. to operate exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and recreational purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE VIII
INITIAL DIRECTORS

The number of initial directors shall be One Hundred and Thirty-Four (134), and the initial directors shall be the duly-elected representatives from each member church of Liberty Baptist Association.

ARTICLE IX
GOVERNMENT

A. The government of this corporation is vested in its members who are represented in the manner set out in its bylaws. The members retain the right of self-government in all phases of the spiritual and temporal life of the association.

B. Churches received as members of this corporation as set out in the bylaws shall constitute the membership ("the members"). The members shall be represented by messengers as provided in the bylaws and shall have the sole authority to adopt and amend the charter and bylaws, approve budgets, receive and discharge members, govern and conduct the affairs of this corporation.

C. All internal groups, committees, directors, officers, agents, and/or employees created and empowered by the association ultimately shall report to and be accountable to the members and shall have such powers and duties as set out in the bylaws.

D. This association is autonomous and independent and is a sovereign and democratic association of Baptist churches under the Lordship of Jesus Christ. As such, the association is subject to the control of no other ecclesiastical body and does not claim and will never attempt to exercise any authority over any member church, auxiliary organization, or other Baptist body.

ARTICLE X
ELECTION AS 501(c)(3) CORPORATION

No part of the net earnings or receipts of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes as set forth in these Articles of Incorporation.

No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), or (b) by a corporations, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE XI
PERSONAL LIABILITY

Personal liability for all directors for monetary damages arising out of an action or actions, whether by or in the right of the corporation or otherwise for breach of any duty as a director is eliminated except with respect to acts, omissions, liabilities and/or transactions described and defined in North Carolina General Statutes §55A-2-02 (b),(4)(i),(ii),(iii), and (iv).

ARTICLE XII
EFFECTIVE DATE

These articles will be effective upon filing.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands, this the 21st day of November, 1994.

J. Stuart White
Robert W. Cook
Gail S. Beck
Raleigh F. York, Jr.

BYLAWS OF LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

ARTICLE I
NAME AND LOCATION

A. The corporate name of this nonprofit corporation shall be "Liberty Baptist Association" The principal and registered office of the Corporation shall be at Route 8, Box 610, Bud Kanoy Road, Thomasville, 27360-7839, Davidson County, North Carolina.

B. All reference to "Association" or "Corporation" in the Articles of Incorporation, in the Bylaws, in Amendments, or other official action of the Association, shall signify the legal organization of Liberty Baptist Association as established in the Articles of Incorporation. Liberty Baptist Association as it has existed heretofore, for all legal and administrative purposes fully is incorporated into Liberty Baptist Association, a nonprofit corporation. References to votes of the membership shall have reference to a vote of the members of this Association as prescribed in Article VII F of these Bylaws.

ARTICLE II
PURPOSE

The purposes for which the Corporation is organized are:

A. to assist the churches of Liberty Baptist Association in their divinely appointed mission and in cooperative relationships with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, the Southern Baptist Convention, and other Baptist entities to promote and provide opportunities for individual and collective participation in missions, evangelism, ministry, education, social services, and distribution of the Bible;

B. to engage in any lawful act or activities for which corporations may be organized under N.C. General Statutes Chapter 55A;

C. to engage in any lawful activity within the purposes for which the Corporation may be organized which is incidental to and in furtherance of the exempt purposes of the Corporation;

D. to operate exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and recreational purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE III
ELECTION AS A 501(C)(3) CORPORATION

A. The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and recreational purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 50l(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law).

B. No part of the net earnings or receipts of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes as set forth in the Articles.

C. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the Corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from

federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (or the corresponding provision of any future U.S. Internal Revenue Law) or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future U.S. Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE IV
GOVERNMENT

A. The government of this Association is vested in its members who are represented in the manner set out in its Bylaws. The members retain the right of self-government in all phases of the spiritual and temporal life of the association.

B. Churches received as members of this Association, as herein provided, shall constitute the membership ("the members"). The members shall be represented by messengers duly elected by each member church and certified to the Association in its Annual Church Profile (Church Letter), and the number of messengers shall be determined as follows:

a. Six messengers from each church for its first one hundred members or fraction thereof;
b. One additional messenger from each church for each additional fifty members or fraction thereof above 100 and up to 1,000 members;
c. One additional messenger from each church for each additional one hundred members or major fraction above 1,000 members;

The members represented by messengers as aforesaid shall have the sole authority to adopt and amend the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws, approve budgets, receive and discharge members, govern and conduct the affairs of this Corporation.

C. All internal groups, committees, directors, officers, agents, and/or employees created and empowered by the Association ultimately shall report to and be accountable to the Association and shall have such powers and duties as hereinafter set out.

D. This Association is autonomous and independent and is a sovereign and democratic association of Baptist churches under the Lordship of Jesus Christ. As such, the Association is subject to the control of no other ecclesiastical body and does not claim and will never attempt to exercise any authority over any member church, auxiliary organization, or other Baptist body.

ARTICLE V
PROPERTY

A. The title to all property shall be in the Association.

B. The securing and maintaining of real, personal, and mixed property by this association shall be for the express purpose of providing facilities for and the engagement upon the missionary, educational, and benevolent interests of this association as historically have been espoused and practiced thereby and as are expressed in its charter and bylaws, which practices and documents are deemed the standard for uses and practices upon and with regard to such property.

C. Real property shall not be mortgaged, conveyed, transferred, or encumbered without the affirmative vote of three-fourths of the "Individuals entitled to vote," as hereinafter defined in Article VII,F., at an annual meeting or a special meeting duly called for such purpose and stated in the meeting notice.

D. This article shall not be amended, altered, or repealed except by a three fourths vote of the "Individuals entitled to vote," as hereinafter defined in Article VII, F., at an annual or special meeting duly called and then only in the event that such proposed amendment, alteration, or repeal has been given in writing to the Moderator and Executive Board and has lain on the table for a period of twelve months, and no article shall be voted upon until the period aforementioned has elapsed, any other provisions herein to the contrary notwithstanding.

ARTICLE VI
MEMBERS

A. **Record of Members:** The members of this Association shall be composed of the Baptist churches who are members of Liberty Baptist Association on the date these Bylaws are adopted. The Clerk shall attach hereto a list of such present members which shall remain a part of the official records of the Association maintained at all times in the office of the Association. A current list of members shall be maintained at all times in the office of the Association.

B. **Organization of New Work Missions/Churches:** The Association by its nature and definition is an

organization whose primary purpose is missions. In furtherance of these functions, the Association will attempt to develop and foster new work missions/churches and will remain available and will be resourceful in assisting groups or churches in their own development respectively of and as Baptist churches. The Association is mindful and responsive to the autonomous nature of the structure of its members and desires to inculcate in watch-care groups and churches their own independence while utilizing, without compulsion, the well-intended and well-respected practices of existing Baptist churches in historical Baptist precedence, all of which can be helpful during the organizational phases. To those ends and to effect these purposes, the Association will consider, promulgate, and maintain suggested guidelines for establishing and assisting new work missions/churches in their efforts. These guidelines shall be developed by the Missions Development Council and approved by the Executive Board.

At such time as a group comes under watch care of the Association, a sponsoring church (member of the Association) shall be recommended by the Missions Development Council in consultation with the Director of Missions and actively shall support such mission/church with any resource assistance required. The sponsoring church will work in cooperation with the Missions Development Council and a Liaison Committee shall be formulated and shall be comprised of the following: Two persons from the sponsoring church; Two persons from the new mission/church; One person from the Missions Development Council; and, Ex-officio, the Mission Pastor, Sponsoring Church Pastor, and Director of missions.

The Liaison Committee shall meet monthly and no less than bi-monthly during the formation period of the mission/church and shall assist in every reasonable manner with the development of the mission/church on behalf of the Association. In the event a sponsoring church cannot be secured, the Missions Development Council shall be responsible for the sponsoring thereof on behalf of the Association. The mission/church shall remain under watch care of the Association until such mission/church is ready to constitute a self-supporting church and has fulfilled watch-care requirements.

C. **Admission of New Churches:** Any church seeking admission to the membership of the Association shall petition the Association in writing at least three months prior to the annual meeting of the Association. The Executive Board shall refer such petition to the Missions Development Council for its study of the petitioning church's covenant, articles of faith, history, practices, cooperative spirit, its relations to other churches of the Association, and its willingness to abide by the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of the Association. A written report setting out its findings and recommendations for action at the next annual meeting of the Association shall be submitted by the Missions Development Council to the Executive Board. Final approval for membership shall be contingent upon a one-year period under a watch-care relationship after which determination will be made by a three-fourths vote of "Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in VII, F., in annual meeting.

D. **Privileges of Membership:** Members through their messengers ("Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in Article VII, F.), and members through their messengers ("Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in Article VII, F.,) only, are entitled to vote in all elections and all questions submitted to the Association. Recognizing the value of voluntary association among churches of like faith and practice, members are afforded opportunity to work in mutual, cooperative fellowship with other churches, especially those of Baptist faith, to advance the gospel of Christ, to promote Christian principles of justice and righteousness in personal, social, and community life, to promote the spiritual welfare of all persons, to disseminate the work of God to the people of all nations through evangelistic, educational, and charitable missions.

E. **Requirements of Membership:** All members reasonably are required to submit a completed Annual Church Profile (Church Letter) to the Annual Meeting; send messengers to the annual meeting; and, contribute to the financial program of the Association. Only members of the Association shall determine whether member churches have fulfilled requirements for membership.

F. **Termination of Membership:** The membership status of any member shall be terminated by written request of the member seeking termination addressed to the Association. Failure reasonably to meet requirements of membership as set out in paragraph E above for a period of two consecutive years after contact by the Missions Development Council to ascertain the desire of the member church shall

subject any member church to termination. No member may be expelled or suspended, and no membership may be terminated or suspended, except in a manner that is fair and reasonable and is carried out in good faith, and in compliance with the following procedures:

1. The Executive Board, by a three-fourths (3/4) vote of members present at a special meeting, duly called, must recommend termination of the subject member church.
2. Such recommendation, in writing, must be mailed to the subject member church and each member church sixty (60) days in advance of a special meeting of members.
3. The subject church shall have full and ample opportunity to present its position at such meeting.
4. Termination of membership shall occur only upon a three-fourths (3/4) vote of individuals entitled to vote.

G. Watch-care Affiliation: Watch-care affiliation for a period of one year shall be required for each church applying for membership in the Association. Each church under watch-care affiliation shall submit a quarterly report and an Annual Church Profile (Church Letter) to the Association.

ARTICLE VII
MEETINGS OF MEMBERS

A. Annual Meeting: The annual meeting of the Association shall be held on Monday and Tuesday following the first Sunday in October for the following purposes: to elect officers of the Association, standing committees, and special committees; to receive annual reports; to approve budgets; to conduct any other business matters which properly may come before the annual meeting; and, to share in worship and fellowship.

B. Special Meetings: Special meetings for the transaction of business may be called by the Executive Board provided sufficient notice is given members to allow for two Sundays between the call and the meeting.

C. Emergencies: In emergencies, any change in the time and/or place of meetings shall be determined by a vote of two-thirds of the Executive Board present when the vote is taken.

D. Presiding Officer: The Moderator shall preside at all meetings of members. In the absence of the Moderator, the Vice Moderator shall preside. In the absence of the Moderator and Vice Moderator, the Clerk shall preside. In the absence of the aforementioned officers, the Treasurer shall preside. In the absence of all officers, the body may elect an acting moderator.

E. Quorum: Seventy-five (75) "Individuals entitled to vote," as hereinafter defined in Article VII, F., shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at any annual or special meeting of members.

F. Voting: Messengers who have been duly elected by a member, have been certified in its annual report to the Association, and are duly registered and present shall be collectively referred to as "Individuals entitled to vote" and shall be entitled to one vote at any meeting of members. No proxy or absentee voting shall be permitted. All voting shall be by show of hands, *standing vote* or voice vote except when there are contested matters in which case the vote shall be by ballot. Parliamentary procedure utilizing Robert's Rules of Order shall be followed.

ARTICLE VIII
EXECUTIVE BOARD

A. Board of Directors: All reference to "Executive Board" or "Board of Directors" in the Articles of Incorporation, in the Bylaws, in Amendments, or other official action of the Association shall be synonymous and shall include conferring of powers as are provided by the Articles of Incorporation, Bylaws, and the North Carolina Nonprofit Corporation Act.

B. Membership: The Executive Board membership shall consist of the following:

1. One lay-representative elected by each member church and certified to the Association in its Annual Church Profile (Church Letter),
2. The active pastor of each member, *or if none, the Interim pastor of each member church; or if neither, the church secretary.*
3. The church treasurer of each member,
4. Officers duly elected by the Association, to-wit: Moderator, Vice Moderator, Clerk, and Treasurer;
5. Standing Committee Chairpersons and Standing Council Directors as named in Article XI,

A and B.

C. **Officers:** The officers of the Executive Board shall be the same persons elected by the Association as Moderator (President), Vice Moderator (Vice President), Clerk (Secretary), and Treasurer.

D. **Meetings:** Regular meetings of the Executive Board shall be held at least quarterly. The first meeting, which shall be designated as the *annual* meeting, shall be held as soon as possible after the annual meeting of the Association, and the last meeting shall be held as nearly as possible to the next annual meeting of the Association for approval/endorsement of various Reports of the Association for the annual meeting.

Special meetings may be called by the Moderator whenever the need arises and the Moderator shall call a special meeting when requested in writing by ten (10) members of the Executive Board.

E. **Quorum:** Twenty-five (25) members of the Executive Board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

F. **Duties:** Except as restricted by the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws or other official action of the Association, the Executive Board shall manage the general business and activities of the Association between annual meetings; shall call special meetings of the Association when necessary; shall elect an independent auditor to conduct the annual audit; shall fill and/or approve any vacancies which occur in the officers, Executive Board, Committee on Nominations, Nominating Committee; Standing Committees or Councils; and, may elect the Director of Missions when a vacancy occurs in accordance with Article X,E.2. of these Bylaws. The Executive Board shall present a written report of action taken to the Association in its annual meeting for ratification and approval of action so taken between annual meetings.

G. **Contracts:** The Executive Board may authorize officers to enter into contracts or execute and deliver instruments on behalf of the Association, and such authority may be general or confined to specific instances subject only to limitations provided herein.

H. **Loans:** No loans shall be contracted on behalf of the Association and no evidence of indebtedness shall be issued in its name unless authorized by a resolution of the Executive Board. Such authority may be general or confined to specific instances.

I. **Depository:** The Executive Board shall have the power to (a) select one or more banks to act as depositories of the funds of the Association; (b) determine the manner of receiving, depositing, and disbursing the funds of the Association; (c) designate the person or persons authorized to draw on the bank accounts of the Association; (d) approve the form of checks to be used in drawing on such bank accounts; and, (e) change such banks, the person or persons drawing on such accounts, and the form of checks at will.

J. **Removal:** Board members, as well as officers of the Association, may be removed by majority vote of the Association at a properly called business meeting, with written notice to members setting out the specific purpose of the meeting.

K. **Death, Resignation or Termination:** In the event a Board member shall expire, resign, or for any reason be removed from the Executive Board, the Executive Board shall fill the vacancy for the unexpired term.

ARTICLE IX
OFFICERS

A. **Officers Generally:** There shall be a Moderator who shall also serve as Moderator and Chairman of the Executive Board and President of the Corporation. There shall be a Vice Moderator who shall also serve as Vice Moderator of the Executive Board and Vice President of the Corporation. There shall be a Clerk who shall also serve as Clerk of the Executive Board and Secretary of the Corporation. There shall be a Treasurer who shall also serve as Treasurer of the Association and of the Corporation. Whenever used in the Articles of Incorporation, in the Bylaws, in Amendments, or in other official action of the Association, the words "Moderator or "President;" "Vice Moderator" or "Vice President;" or "Clerk" or "Secretary" shall be synonymous.

B. **Moderator:**

1. Election and Term: The Moderator shall be elected annually at the annual meeting of the Association for a term of one year and may be re-elected for a one-year term. The Moderator shall be ineligible for re-election as Moderator for a period of two years after having served two one-year

terms. The term of office shall begin at the close of the annual meeting and shall continue through the close of the next annual meeting or until a successor is elected.

2. Duties: The Moderator shall

a. preside at the annual meeting and any special meeting of the Association;
b. serve as President of the Corporation;
c. preside at all meetings of the Executive Board;
d. perform such other duties as are specifically prescribed in these Bylaws and as may be delegated by the Association;
e. serve with other officers to recommend a Committee on Nominations to the Executive Board for election at its May meeting;
f. appoint other committees when so directed by the Association or Executive Board; and
g. serve as ex officio member of all committees except the Committee on Nominations.

C. Vice Moderator

1. Election and Term: The Vice Moderator shall be elected annually at the annual meeting for a term of one year and may be re-elected for a one-year term. The Vice Moderator shall be ineligible for re-election as Vice Moderator for a period of two years after having served two one-year terms. The term of office shall begin at the close of the annual meeting in which such election is held and shall continue through the close of the next annual meeting or until his successor is elected

2. Duties: The Vice Moderator shall

a. preside at meetings of the Association and Executive Board in the absence of the Moderator or at the pleasure of the Moderator;
b. serve as Vice President of the Corporation;
c. serve with other officers to recommend a Committee on Nominations to the Executive Board for election at its May meeting; and
d. perform such other duties as may be specifically prescribed in these Bylaws and as may be delegated by the members.

D. Clerk

1. Election and Term: The Clerk shall be elected annually at the annual meeting for a term of one year.

2. Duties: The Clerk shall

a. serve as Secretary of the Corporation and of the Executive Committee;
b. maintain at all times a current list of members of the Association;
c. maintain and preserve the files, records, and documents of the Association in proper order at all times for examination of the Executive Board;
d. send report forms to members at least one month before the annual meeting of the Association;
e. prepare a composite record of the member information included in the annual report submitted to the Association and distribute copies thereof at the annual meeting;
f. supervise the printing of minutes of the Association and distribute to the members as soon as possible after the annual meeting;
g. preserve the files, records, and documents of the Association and, upon election of a successor, relinquish such files, records, documents, and other property belonging to the Association and in the possession and control of the Clerk to the duly elected successor; and
h. serve with other officers to recommend a Committee on Nominations to the Executive Board for election at its May meeting.
i. preside at meetings in the absence of the Moderator and Vice Moderator at the pleasure of the moderator.

E. Treasurer

1. Election and Term: The Treasurer shall be elected annually at the annual meeting for a term of one year.

2. Duties: The Treasurer shall

a. serve as Treasurer of the Corporation;
b. have custody of all funds of the Association;

c. maintain at all times up-to-date, orderly records of all receipts and disbursements;
d. disburse funds by check in accordance with the budget and direction of the Association or Executive Board;
e. prepare quarterly financial reports and distribute copies to the Finance Committee and the Executive Board;
f. prepare a financial report and distribute copies at the annual meeting;
g. serve as a member of the Finance Committee;
h. cooperate with the firm making the annual audit; and
i. serve with other officers to recommend a Committee on Nominations to the Executive Board for election at its May meeting.
j. preside at meetings in the absence of the Moderator, Vice Moderator and Clerk at the pleasure of the moderator.

F. Assistant Treasurer

1. **Election and Term:** The Assistant Treasurer shall be elected annually at the annual meeting for a term of one year.
2. **Duties:** The Assistant Treasurer shall, during periods of incapacity or absence of the Treasurer, perform the duties assigned to the Treasurer in paragraph E. 2 as required and shall assist the Treasurer as directed and required by the Treasurer.

ARTICLE X
STAFF

A. Staff Positions: The staff of the Association shall be composed of the Director of Missions, Administrative Secretary, and such other persons who shall fill staff positions as may be created by the Association. The Personnel Committee shall make recommendation for the creation of any staff position. A current list of staff positions shall be maintained by the Personnel Committee. A job description for each staff position shall be prepared and shall be revised periodically by the Personnel Committee, approved by the Executive Board, and furnished to all candidates considered for the position and the person filling the position. Staff positions may be combined from time to time at the discretion of the Executive Board and the combined position held by one person.

B. Election/Employment: Except in the case of the Director of Missions, the staff members from time to time shall be employed for indeterminate terms by the Association or Executive Board at a regular meeting upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

C. Termination: With the exception of the Director of Missions, termination of the relationship between a staff member and the Association shall occur within a reasonable and announced period after written notice of termination delivered to the staff member on behalf of the Association and to the Personnel Committee and the Executive Board on behalf of the staff member. Termination of the staff member by the Association shall be initiated and acted upon by the Executive Board upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

D. Vacation and Leave: Requirements for vacation and leaves, record-keeping, expense reimbursement, work schedules, and other employment matters shall be outlined in the Policy Manual and Benefit Plans. Such manual shall be prepared, reviewed, monitored, and amended from time to time by recommendation of the Personnel Committee to the Executive Board; and the staff shall be subject to the provisions thereof from time to time; provided, nothing therein contained shall be interpreted to be in derivation or in violation of the provisions of the Bylaws, and such Policy Manual and Benefit Plans must remain consistent with the purposes and intent requirements thereof.

E. Director of Missions

1. **Search Committee Procedure:** When a vacancy occurs in the position of Director of Missions or the Director of Mission furnishes notice of intent to vacate the position, a Search Committee composed of the officers of the Association and five members of the Associational Council elected by the Associational Council shall meet as soon as possible, determine their procedure, establish a profile, prepare application forms and reference questionnaires, and shall diligently seek to find a Director of Missions who, by calling, training, and ability, is qualified spiritually, mentally, and physically to lead the work of the Association. The Moderator shall serve as Chairperson of the Search Committee. Members of the committee may be reimbursed by the

Treasurer for any necessary and reasonable travel and subsistence expenses which are incurred in the performance of their duties. The candidate to be recommended by the Search Committee may be interviewed by the Associational Council before election by the Executive Board or the Association in Annual Meeting.

2. **Election/Employment:** When the Search Committee has selected a potential employee and is ready to make a report and recommendation to the Association, such recommendation shall be made to the Annual Meeting of the Association or, between annual meetings, to the Executive Board. Upon a vote being taken, the Director of Missions presented must receive at least three-fourths of all votes cast. If the Director of Missions fails to receive the required three-fourths vote, the Moderator shall declare the nominee not elected/employed and shall refer the matter, without debate, to the Search Committee for further investigation and further recommendation under the foregoing procedure.
3. **Duties:** The Director of Missions shall
   a. fulfill all duties under the direction of the Personnel Committee and the Executive Board;
   b. serve ex officio in a supervisory capacity on all committees and councils of the Association unless otherwise provided in these Bylaws;
   c. promote the work of the Association and denomination;
   d. cooperate with members, their pastors, officers, committees and councils of the Association;
   e. present oral reports to the Associational Council, Missions Development Council, and Executive Board meetings;
   f. present a written report to the annual meeting of the Association;
   g. assist the Clerk in preparation of the composite record of members from information submitted in their annual report to the Association;
   h. assist the Clerk in preparing the annual minutes of the Association.
4. **Termination:** The Director of Missions shall be employed for an indeterminate term. The Director of Missions shall give reasonable notice of intent to resign or retire to the Personnel Committee and the Executive Board. The Director of Missions may be removed by an affirmative vote of three-fourths of the "Individuals entitled to vote," as heretofore defined in Article VII, F., at a meeting properly called with ten days written notice to the Director of Missions and written notice of the meeting to the members as required by the Bylaws.
5. **Interim Director of Missions:** The Executive Board, in consultation with the Personnel Committee, shall be responsible for the employment of an Interim Director of Missions when the Association is without a Director of Missions.
6. **Extended Leave or Absence:** During any extended leave or absence of the Director of Missions for medical or other appropriate reasons and with advice of the Personnel Committee, the Executive Board shall make such necessary, temporary or emergency decisions as reasonably shall be required.

ARTICLE XI
COMMITTEES AND COUNCILS

A. Standing Committees:

Except as hereinafter provided, Standing Committees of the Association shall be as follows: Annual Meeting Program Committee; Auditing Committee, Building and Grounds Committee; Bylaw Committee; Finance Committee; Historical Committee; Hunger Awareness Committee; Liaison Committee; Memorials Committee; Nominating Committee; Ordination Examining Committee; Personnel Committee; Place and Preacher Committee; and, Resolutions Committee shall have membership and general responsibilities respectively as follows:

1. **Annual Meeting Program Committee:** The Annual Meeting Program Committee shall consist of the Moderator, Clerk, Chairman of the Place and Preacher Committee, Director of the Music Council, Pastors of the churches hosting the Annual Meeting, and three persons. The Annual Meeting Program Committee shall prepare a printed program for the Annual Meeting, send a copy of the printed program to all persons on the program at least ten days prior to the annual meeting, present the printed program for adoption at the opening of the Annual Meeting, and serve through the Annual Meeting

when adjustments on the program are necessary.

2. **Auditing Committee:** The Auditing Committee shall consist of three persons. The committee shall make an audit or review of the records and receipts of the Association on a quarterly basis. A report should be made to the Finance Committee one month after the end of each quarter in writing as to findings, needed adjustments and suggestions. The committee will meet at least four times a year with the Treasurer as ex-officio member to review the quarterly updated Finance Reports and records. The Annual Audit Report or Review is to be made in writing to be in the Book of Reports as a part of the Finance Committee report. The report needs to be completed by September 30 to be presented at the Annual Meeting. The Auditing Committee shall have the option of recommending a Review of the Financial Records or a complete Audit of the Financial Records. The Auditing Committee shall recommend to the appropriate Executive Board Meeting, prior to the Annual Session, whether a review or complete audit of the Financial Records is needed. The Auditing Committee is responsible for doing the necessary research to answer any questions concerning Financial Records that may be raised by member churches, messengers, or Executive Board members within a reasonable period.

3. **Building and Grounds Committee:** The Building and Grounds Committee shall consist of three persons. The Building and Grounds Committee shall plan for adequate maintenance, repairs, alterations, improvement, and housekeeping of the physical properties of the Association; upon request of the Director of Missions, assist in considering approval for special use of the facilities of the Association; and, prepare and submit an appropriate budget request for consideration and inclusion in the proposed budget.

4. **Bylaws Committee:** The Bylaws Committee shall consist of three persons, preferably one of whom shall be an attorney. The Bylaws Committee shall consider requests for amendments, alterations, or revisions of the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws and shall make recommendations to the Association with respect thereto; and, periodically review and make recommendations for amendments, alterations, or revisions of the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws.

5. **Finance Committee:** The Finance Committee shall consist of the Treasurer, Assistant Treasurer and four persons. The Finance Committee shall study, formulate, and recommend a budget adequate to support the program of the Association; formulate plans for promotion of the budget and cooperation of members in meeting budget needs; review the quarterly and annual financial reports of the Treasurer; review and monitor budget line item expenses; present periodical reports of contributions to members of the Association; and, present a written report to the Annual Meeting of the Association.

6. **Historical Committee:** The Historical Committee shall consist of a Historian and two persons. The Historian shall be elected annually at the annual meeting for a term of one year and shall serve as Chairperson of the Historical Committee. The Historical Committee shall collect and preserve historical data of the Association; encourage and promote the preservation of historical data by each member; and, present a written report to each annual meeting of the Association. The Historian shall serve as a member of the Media Library (TACMO) Council.

7. **Hunger Awareness Committee:** The Hunger Awareness Committee shall consist of three persons. The Hunger Awareness Committee shall keep abreast of hunger needs throughout the world and shall apprize the Association of these needs and from time to time, upon approval of the Executive Board, shall lead special projects within the Association to meet specific needs.

8. **Liaison Committee:** A Liaison Committee shall be formulated as needed for new work missions/churches and shall be comprised of two persons from the sponsoring church as defined in Article VI, B; two persons from the new mission/church; one person from the Missions Development Council; and, Ex-officio, the Mission Pastor, Sponsoring Church Pastor, and Director of Missions. The Liaison Committee shall meet no less than bi-monthly during the formation period of the mission/church and shall assist in every reasonable manner with the development of the mission/church on behalf of the Association.

9. **Memorials Committee:** The Memorials Committee shall consist of three persons. The Memorials Committee shall prepare and read a report of individuals who have expired since the last annual meeting as reflected in the Annual Church Profile (Church Letter) to the Association furnished by the members and shall conduct a brief, appropriate Memorial Service for such individuals during

the Annual Meeting.

10. Nominating Committee: The Nominating Committee shall consist of five individuals recommended to the Annual Meeting by the Committee on Nominations and shall meet as often as necessary to fill vacancies and prepare nominations for the Annual Meeting of the association; seek to fill all positions with the best qualified nominees, avoiding the nomination of one individual for more than one position and distributing obligations and privileges of service to member representation; contact all nominees and secure consent before making recommendations to the Association or Executive Board; recommend to the Association during the Annual Meeting the officers, chairpersons, directors, and members of each standing committee and council, and the institutional/agency representatives, unless otherwise provided in these Bylaws; recommend to the Executive Board individuals to fill vacancies of committees and institutional/agency representatives which may occur between Annual Meetings of the Association.

11. Ordination Examining Committee: Each church of the Association shall have the exclusive right to ordain for the ministry without Associational involvement. However, member churches shall have the option to utilize the Associational Ordination Examining Committee as hereinafter set out. The Ordination Examining Committee shall consist of five persons. The Ordination Examining Committee shall receive requests from churches within the Association who wish to examine a candidate for ordination to the Gospel ministry; cooperate with the church requesting examination in setting a mutually satisfactory date for examination; question the candidate for ordination; report its findings to the church making such request for examination; approve for ordination only the candidate who has received a call to serve in an ordained Christian ministry of any kind including, but not limited to that of a member church of the Association, or Baptist churches outside the Association; to serve on the mission field, or to serve as a chaplain in the armed forces or a public institution; and, shall have the option to summons pastors and one lay person from any or all cooperating member churches of the Liberty Baptist Association.

12. Personnel Committee: The Personnel Committee shall consist of five persons. Except as otherwise provided in Article X,E., the Personnel Committee shall receive applications, interview applicants, contact references, and carefully investigate applicants considered for staff positions; shall recommend to the Executive Board the prospective employee; shall prepare, periodically review, revise, and recommend changes in job descriptions to the Executive Board; shall make recommendation to the Association in the event of need of a new staff position; shall prepare, periodically review, revise and recommend changes to Personnel Policy Manual and Benefits Plan; periodically evaluate personnel performance and make necessary recommendations to the staff; consult with and perform duties assigned by the Executive Board and as set out in Article X of these Bylaws; establish a salary plan and prepare budget requests with respect to all personnel matters including salaries and fringe benefits and submit such budget requests to the Finance Committee of the Association.

13. Place and Preacher Committee: The Place and Preacher Committee shall consist of five persons. The Place and Preacher Committee shall solicit and receive invitations for the place or places of meeting for the next Annual Meeting of the Association, recommend the place or places of the meeting, and recommend the preacher and an alternate preacher to preach the annual sermon at the Annual Meeting of the Association.

14. Resolutions Committee: The Resolutions Committee shall consist of five persons. The Resolutions Committee shall review all properly submitted resolutions which may be reworded for clarity, combined with like issues into one resolution, or rejected if previously addressed or are inappropriate; present all appropriate resolutions to the Association for consideration; prepare and present resolutions of appreciation and other resolutions deemed appropriate; and, notify persons submitting resolutions of the disposition thereof.

B. <u>Standing Councils</u>

Except as hereinafter provided, the Standing Councils of the Association, shall be as follows: Bi-Vocational Ministers Council; Brotherhood Council; Christian Life and Public Affairs Council; Discipleship Training Council; Evangelism Council; Family Ministry Council; Hispanic Ministries Council; Media Library Council (TACMO); Missions Development Council; Multi-Housing Council;

Music Council; Pastoral Ministries Council; Seminary Extension Council; Senior Adult Council; Single Adult Council; Stewardship Council; Student Ministries Council; Sunday School Council; Woman's Missionary Union Council/WMU Leadership Team; and, Youth Ministries Council with general responsibilities respectively as follows:

1. **Bi-Vocational Ministers Council:** The Bi-Vocational Ministers Council shall be composed of Bi-Vocational Ministers (active and retired) selected by the Nominating Committee. The President of the Bi-Vocational Ministers Conference shall be an ex officio member. The purpose of this Council is to address needs of Bi-Vocational ministerial staff.
2. **Brotherhood Council:** The Brotherhood Council will assist churches in involving men and boys in missions; helping churches engage men and boys in missions activities; helping churches prepare to teach missions to men and boys; helping churches lead men and boys to pray for and give to missions; helping churches lead men and boys to develop personal ministry; and, helping churches interpret and undergird the work of the church and the denomination.
3. **Christian Life and Public Affairs Council:** The Christian Life and Public Affairs Council will assist churches in awareness of critical moral and social issues and in leading in Christian action to meet those needs; in applying the gospel to all areas of life; in demonstrating responsible concern for society; in broadening cooperative efforts and emphases; and, in mobilizing and equipping the constituency to be on mission in regard to moral and ethical concerns. Areas of involvement include family life, race relations, citizenship, hunger, and other special moral concerns. The council shall endeavor to provide an annual event of training in an area of moral and social concerns.
4. **Discipleship Training Council:** The Discipleship Training Council will assist churches in starting, improving, and expanding Christian discipleship through their Discipleship Training programs to help churches equip church members for discipleship and personal ministry; teach Christian theology and Baptist doctrine, Christian ethics, Christian history, and church polity and organization; equip church leaders for service; and interpret and undergird the work of the church and denomination.
5. **Evangelism Council:** The Evangelism Council will lead the Association (as churches and as programs) to address the priority of evangelism in its area and will include in its program church evangelism committee development; evangelism strategy development; mass evangelism; personal evangelism; rural and small church evangelism; metropolitan evangelism; specialized evangelism; renewal evangelism; and, evangelism prospect discovery. The council will coordinate with other appropriate councils and member churches Festival Ministries and special event ministries for evangelistic outreach in the association.
6. **Family Ministry Council:** The Family Ministry Council will assist churches in development of family ministry programs and the conduct of family ministry activities which can be accomplished best on the Associational level. It will seek to minister to the distinctive and diverse needs of families.
7. **Hispanic Ministries Council:** The Hispanic Ministries Council will plan, coordinate, and provide ministry to the migrant/seasonal workers in the Association which may include, but shall not be limited to, Bible Study, special trips, medical and dental care, fellowship meals, as well as other needs that may arise. This council will plan, coordinate and provide ministry to permanent Hispanic residents.
8. **Media Library Council:** (Also known as TACMO-The Associational Church Media Library Organization). The Media Library Council (TACMO) will assist churches in the establishment, development, and improvement of church media library services and educate persons in the use of media and provide media and media services to support the church in the achievement of its mission.
9. **Missions Development Council:** The Missions Development Council will lead the association (as churches and as programs) to address the priority missions frontiers in their area through work with Church Missions Development Councils, missions survey and analysis, church extension, language missions, church and community ministries, volunteer chaplaincy ministries, interfaith witness, black church relations, and, special ministries.

The Missions Development Council will be responsible for credentials-acceptance of new churches as more specifically set out in Article VI, C; church extension/new work; language missions; literacy missions; migrant ministry; festival ministries (in cooperation with Evangelism, Woman's Missionary Union & Brotherhood Councils); partnership ministry (State, Home and Foreign); mission projects

(church and community ministries); seminary extension; volunteer chaplaincy; interfaith witness; disaster relief (in cooperation with Brotherhood Council); assist churches, as requested, with internal problems; assist groups seeking to organize a new church and work with the Liaison Committee as set out in Article VI, B, and such other duties as may be delegated by the Executive Board. The Missions Development Council shall plan and coordinate mission ministry projects in consultation with the councils and committees of the Association as needed. The council will make member churches aware of project needs and help secure volunteers.

10. Multi-Housing Council: The Multi-Housing Council will seek to involve churches in multi-housing ministries through on-call chaplaincy; group Bible studies; Backyard Bible Clubs/Mission Vacation Bible Schools; recreational activities; special events with music, drama, puppets, etc. It will develop relationships with multi-housing managers; provide training to churches in methodologies and strategies to reach such complexes; and, will make regular reports and recommendations to the Missions Development Council.

11. Music Council: The Music Council will seek to enhance the redemptive mission of churches through establishing, conducting, enlarging, and improving their music ministries. It will provide musical experiences in congregational services; develop musical skills, attitudes, and understandings; witness and minister through music; interpret and undergird the work of the church and the denomination.

12. Pastoral Ministries Council: The Pastoral Ministries Council will assist churches in the development of pastoral ministries, deacon ministry, vocational guidance, church administrative services, and Christian weekday education; conduct special projects and activities which enable churches to accomplish their mission, proclaim the gospel to believers and unbelievers, care for the church's members and other persons in the community and interpret and undergird the work of the church and the denomination. It will minister to the distinctive needs of pastors, deacons, church staff persons, church council, church officers and committee members, church vocations volunteers, and church weekday education staff. This council will include a Church Administration Consultant, Weekday Early Education Consultant, Vocational Guidance Consultant, Deacon Ministry Consultant, and Minister Support Consultant.

13. Seminary Extension Council: The Seminary Extension Council will seek to provide college-level theological education to ministers and laypersons and basic theological education to ministers who lack formal education. It will provide curriculum materials, administrative services, promotional materials, training materials for director and teachers, academic records, and certification of centers and teachers.

14. Senior Adult Council: The Senior Adult Council will plan activities and ministry projects for member church senior adults and will communicate any appropriate state and national conferences and Chautauguas to member churches. This council may include any elected leader of a member church senior adult organization.

15. Single Adult Council: The Single Adult Council will plan activities and ministry projects for member church single adults and will communicate any appropriate state and national conferences to member churches. This council may include any elected leader of a member church single adult organization.

16. Stewardship Council: The Stewardship Council will assist churches in development of individual and corporate stewardship, interpretation of Biblical teachings on stewardship, and elevation of individual giving and corporate mission giving in light of those teachings.

17. Student Ministries Council: The Student Ministries Council will assist the program of Baptist student ministries at the colleges within the Association or area; assist churches in establishing and supporting ministries with students; and, provide continuing training for workers with students in the churches in order to minister to the needs of college students in the churches and on the campuses in the area.

18. Sunday School Council: (Also known as ASSIST: Associational Sunday School Improvement Support Team). The Sunday School Council will assist and challenge churches to improve and enlarge all areas of their Sunday School through planning, training, administration activities, consultation, program interpretation, and cooperative projects. It will encourage and assist churches to reach

persons for Bible study, teach the Bible, witness to persons about Christ and lead persons to church membership, minister to Sunday School members and nonmembers, lead members to worship, and interpret and undergird the work of the church and the denomination.

19. Woman's Missionary Union Council/WMU Leadership Team: The Woman's Missionary Union Council/WMU Leadership Team will assist churches in promoting missions, establishing, enlarging, and strengthening Woman's Missionary Union work, teaching missions, engaging in mission action and personal witnessing, supporting missions, and participating in the work of the church and the denomination.

20. Youth Ministries Council: The Youth Ministries Council shall plan youth related ministries for the Association including retreats, rallies, and volunteer training.

C. **General duties of Standing Councils:** The Director and Council members of each council shall keep informed of materials, programs, and events related to the specific area of interest indicated by the title of said council; shall assist in training leadership and promoting the specific interest area within the Association; shall cooperate with other councils of the Association in coordinating emphases and assisting churches in their divinely appointed mission opportunities individually and collectively. Each council shall meet as often as necessary (at least quarterly) to fulfill its responsibilities in keeping with standards established by the Association for its respective organization. A written report from each council shall be made to the Annual Meeting of the Association. The Director of each respective council shall serve on the Associational Council of the Association.

D. **Election and Term:** The Standing Committees and Councils listed in Sections A and B of this Article, except the Woman's Missionary Union Council and Director, and the Chairperson/Director respectively thereof shall be nominated by the Nominating Committee and elected at the Annual Meeting of the Association. The term of office shall be one year beginning at the adjournment of the Annual Meeting in which the election was held.

E. **Other Committees and Councils:** The Association may create such other committees and councils, not inconsistent with the Articles of Incorporation and these Bylaws, as may from time to time be required, and in furtherance thereof, the Executive Board shall be empowered to establish and appoint interim standing committees and councils. The Nominating Committee shall give recommendations to fill these new positions to the Executive Board. At the next Annual Meeting of the Association, messengers shall consider whether to amend these Bylaws by their inclusion as new standing committees and councils.

F. **Special Standing Committees, Councils, Auxiliary, & Institutional/Agency Representatives:** Special Standing Committees, Councils, Auxiliary, and Institutional/Agency Representatives of the Association shall be the Committee on Nominations, Associational Council, Woman's Missionary Union and Institutional/Agency Representatives, whose membership and responsibilities are as follows:

1. Committee on Nominations: The Committee on Nominations shall consist of three persons who shall be nominated by the officers and elected by the Executive Board at the meeting prior to the September meeting. The Committee on Nominations shall serve until the annual meeting when its report is made to the Association. The duty of the Committee on Nominations shall be to nominate the Nominating Committee at the Annual Meeting and to recommend to the Executive Board individuals to fill any Nominating Committee vacancies during the year. In the event of a vacancy between any Executive Board or Annual Meeting, the Committee on Nominations shall appoint a replacement to begin immediate interim service until election of a nominee for the term of office at the next Executive Board or Annual Meeting following the vacancy occurrence.

2. Associational Council: The Associational Council shall consist of the Moderator, Clerk, and Directors of all Standing Councils as set out in Article XI, B. The Council shall plan and correlate the calendar and program activities of the program councils of the Association and make any needed recommendations to the Executive Board/Annual Meeting.

3. Woman's Missionary Union: The Woman's Missionary Union of Liberty Baptist Association is an auxiliary of Liberty Baptist Association and elects its director, officers, and council. These elected officers are included for information in the Reports of the Association and the Director of

Woman's Missionary Union serves on the Standing Council and Executive Board with full voting privileges. The Woman's Missionary Union is governed by their own Constitution and Bylaws.

4. **Institutional/Agency Representatives:** One person to serve as the Institutional/Agency Representative within the Association shall be nominated by the Nominating Committee and elected by the Association for a term of one year. The representative will receive information from the respective institution/agency during the year and shall prepare a report for the Annual Meeting of the Association.

5. **Partnership Coordinators:** Partnership Coordinators (Foreign, Home, State, Associational Missions) shall be nominated by the Nominating Committee and elected by the Association for a term of one year. Partnership Coordinators shall receive information, work with the Missions Development Council, provide leadership and orientation for partnership project participants as needed. Partnership Coordinators shall prepare a report for the Annual Meeting of the Association of work accomplished.

6. **Assistant Treasurer:** The Assistant Treasurer shall be nominated by the Nominating Committee and elected for a term of one year. The Assistant Treasurer shall be eligible for re-election each year. In the absence of the Treasurer due to illness, emergency or resignation, the Assistant Treasurer will be responsible for signing checks, maintaining records, make deposits, and paying bills that are due. The Assistant Treasurer shall function for the Treasurer as requested by the Treasurer within reason in carrying out the duties of Treasurer as an officer of the Association only under emergency, illness, or resignation circumstances.

ARTICLE XII
ADOPTION AND AMENDMENT OF BYLAWS AND CORPORATE DOCUMENTS

A. Adoption:

These Bylaws shall be considered adopted and in immediate effect when a majority of the "Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in Article VII, F., at an annual meeting or a special meeting shall vote in favor thereof. This vote shall be taken not less than thirty days after mailing a copy of these Bylaws to each member.

B. Amendment:

These Bylaws, the Articles of Incorporation, or any parts thereof may be amended, altered, or repealed only by a majority vote of "Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in Article VII, F., at the Annual Meeting or a special meeting of the Association.

C. Preservation:

A copy of all original corporate records, including but not limited to the Articles of Incorporation, the Bylaws, and Personnel Policies, shall be maintained at all times by the Clerk in the office of the Association; and copies of the same shall be kept in separate locations. All amendments to said documents or to any provisions thereof shall be prepared promptly after adoption by the Association; and the Secretary shall cause the same and copies to be typed or printed in proper form and attached to the originals of respective documents and kept as above stated.

ARTICLE XIII
GENERAL AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS.

A. Fiscal Year:

The fiscal year of the Association shall be from September 1 to August 31.

B. Reports:

Reports of officers, committees, councils, and church letters to the Association shall cover the period from September 1 to August 31. All reports for the annual meeting shall be in writing for inclusion in the published Book of Reports and shall be limited to 250 words.

C. Audit:

An annual audit or review of the financial records of the Association shall be conducted by an independent accounting firm elected by the Executive Board upon recommendation of the Auditing Committee.

D. Records:

The membership rolls, minutes of meetings, and annual reports shall be available at all reasonable times for all reasonable purposes.

E. Policy Manual:

The Policy Manual shall contain documents of procedure and the adopted Budget and Nominations Report not inconsistent with the Articles of Incorporation and these Bylaws from various committees and councils that have been recommended to and approved by the Executive Board and/or Annual Meeting. These policies will be governing rules and procedures of the respective committees and councils of the Association. They may be amended by the Executive Board and/or Annual Meeting by a simple vote of persons present provided a quorum has been met.

F. Seal:

There shall appear within the center of the Corporate Seal of the Association the words "Corporate Seal," around which shall appear two concentric circles within which will be inscribed Liberty Baptist Association of North Carolina, 1832. Such seal, as impressed on the margin hereof, is hereby adopted as the corporate seal of the Corporation.

G. Gender:

The use of terms in these Bylaws that may in other contexts tend to denote gender is intended to be neutral as to gender. The masculine shall be deemed to include the feminine and the feminine deemed to include the masculine.

H. Majority:

Unless these Bylaws or The General Statutes of North Carolina otherwise require a different number, a majority of those in attendance at any general or special meeting of members or the Executive Board with a quorum present shall be required to effect any action.

Amended per Constitution & ByLaws Recommendation of 10/7/96.

Amended per Constitution & ByLaws Recommendation of 10/6/97.

Amended per Constitution & ByLaws Recommendation of 10/5/98.

HISTORICAL TABLE

Year	Where Held	Preacher	Moderator	Clerk
1832	Jamestown-1	George W. Purefoy	Wm Burch	Peter Owens
1833	Holloways	Jonah Williams	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1834	Abbotts Creek	Eli Carroll	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1835	Liberty	John Culpepper	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1836	Jersey	Eli Carroll	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1837	Lick Creek	Peter Owens	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1838	Abbotts Creek	Benjamin Lanier	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1839	Pine Meeting H-2	Eli Carroll	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1840	Holloways	Josiah Williams	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1841	N. Friendship	Benjamin Lanier	Gershom Tussey	Peter Owens
1842	Reeds X Roads	Barton Roby	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1843	Lick Creek	Benjamin Lanier	Benajmin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1844	Abbotts Creek	Wm. Turner	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1845	Jersey	Alfred Kenney	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1846	Lick Creek	Wm. Turner	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1847	Abbotts Creek	Wm. Turner	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1848	Reeds X Roads	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1849	Big Creek-3	Azariah Williams	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1850	Jamestown-1	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1851	Liberty	Wm. Turner	Wm. Turner	Azariah Williams
1852	Holloways	Z. Minor	Wm. Turner	Azariah Williams
1853	Abbotts Creek	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1854	Reeds X Roads	Alfred Kenney	Joseph Spurgeon	Azariah Williams
1855	Lick Creek	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1856	Abbotts Creek	Unknown	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1857	Reeds X Roads	Wm. Lambeth	Amos Weaver	Azariah Williams
1858	Holloways	Amos Weaver	Amos Weaver	Azariah Williams
1859	N. Friendship	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	J. H. Owens
1860	Jersey	Wm. Turner	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1861	Lick Creek	J. B. Jackson	J. B. Jackson	Azariah Williams
1862	Abbotts Creek	F. H. Jones	J. B. Jackson	Azariah Williams
1863	Thomasville	T. W. Tobey	J. B. Jackson	Azariah Williams
1864	Lick Creek	W. H. Hammer	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1865	No Session Held			
1866	Abbotts Creek	W. T. Walters	Benjamin Lanier	J. H. Owens
1867	Jersey	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	J. H. Owens
1868	Abbotts Creek	W. H. Hammer	Benjamin Lanier	J. H. Owens
1869	Big Creek-3	A. P. Stoker	Wm. Turner	J. H. Owens
1870	Pine Meeting H-2	Wm. Turner	Wm. Turner	J. H. Owens
1871	N. Friendship	W. M. Wingate	Wm. Turner	J. H. Owens
1872	Holloways	H. Morton	J. H. Brooks	J. L. Pleasant
1873	Lick Creek	Thomas Carrick	H. Morton	Thomas Carrick
1874	Muddy Creek-4	A. F. Redd	Wm. Turner	Thomas Carrick
1875	Reeds X Roads	C. T. Bailey	Wm. Turner	Thomas Carrick
1876	High Point	H. W. Reinhart	Wm. Turner	Thomas Carrick
1877	Big Creek-3	I. B. Richardson	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1878	Abbotts Creek	H. W. Reinhart	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1879	Liberty	Harvey Hatcher	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1880	Holloways	S. F. Conrad	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1881	Jersey	Henry Sheets	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1882	Muddy Creek-4	S. H. Thompson	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets

Year	Where Held	Preacher	Moderator	Clerk
1883	Pine Meeting H-2	O. F. Gregory	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1884	Summerville	S. H. Thompson	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1885	Lexington	I. B. Richardson	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1886	Abbotts Creek	I. B. Richardson	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1887	Lick Creek	Henry Sheets	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1888	Reeds X Roads	C. Durham	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1889	N. Friendship	W. F. Watson	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1890	Jersey	J. M. Bennett	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1891	Pine Meeting H-2	J. F. Fant	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1892	High Point	Henry Sheets	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1893	Kernersville	R. T. Bryan	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1894	Holloways	R. Vandeventor	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1895	Pleasant Grove-6	J. M. Hilliard	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1896	Denton	Henry Sheets	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1897	Piney Grove-5	W. H. Rich	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1898	Rich Fork	J. H. Lambeth	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1899	Abbotts Creek	S. B. Wilson	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1900	Reeds X Roads	W. H. Rich	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1901	Lexington	C.A.G. Thomas	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1902	Lick Creek	Henry Sheets	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1903	Jersey	W. A. Smith	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1904	Pine Meeting H-2	Geo. P. Harrill	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1905	N. Friendship	John R. Miller	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1906	Thomasville	J. S. Famer	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1907	Wallburg	R. T. Vann	J. W. Nowell	P. S. Vann
1908	Denton	M. L. Kesler	J. W. Nowell	P. S. Vann
1909	Liberty	S. D. Swaim	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1910	Orphanage	O. A. Keller	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1911	Abbotts Creek	G. A. Martin	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1912	Stoners Grove	O. A. Keller	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1913	Rich Fork	M. L. Kesler	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1914	Holloways	G. A. Martin	G. A. Martin	Henry Sheets
1915	Center Hill	O. A. Keller	O. A. Keller	Henry Sheets
1916	Wallburg	J. M. Mercer	O. A. Keller	Henry Sheets
1917	Smith Grove	Fred D. Hale	R. S. Green	Henry Sheets
1918	Lexington	M. L. Kesler	R. S. Green	Archibald Johnson
1919	Denton	R. E.White	R. S. Green	Archibald Johnson
1920	N. Friendship	J. S. Hardaway	R. S. Green	Archibald Johnson
1921	Churchland	M. L. Kesler	R. S. Green	Archibald Johnson
1922	Summerville	W. A. Hough	R. S. Green	Paul C. Newton
1923	Abbotts Creek	W. L. Barrs	Archibald Johnson	Paul C. Newton
1924	Reeds	C. H. Trueblood	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1925	Liberty	C. A. Owens	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1926	Rich Fork	E. N. Gardner	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1927	Thomasville	H. T. Penry	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1928	Holloways	M. L. Kesler	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1929	Stoners Grove	J. H. Hayes	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1930	Abbotts Creek	M. L. Kesler	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1931	Denton	M. O. Alexander	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith
1932	Lexington	G. A. Martin	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith
1933	Lick Creek	E. F. Mumford	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith
1934	Jersey	W. L. Warfford	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith

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1935	Mills Home	E. C. Roach	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1936	Reeds	J. A. Nellson	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1937	Churchland	W. K. Mcgee	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1938	Denton	John A. McMillan	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith
1939	Wallburg	H. M. Stroup	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1940	Center Hill	L. S. Gaines	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1941	N. Friendship	N. C. Teague	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1942	Liberty/Abbotts Creek	I. G. Greer	H. M. Stroup	Sam J. Smith
1943	Lexington	B. A. Mitchell	H. M. Stroup	Sam J. Smith
1944	Thomasville	C. B. Atkinson	H. M. Stroup	Sam J. Smith
1945	Jersey	J. Roy Clifford	N. C. Teague	A. L. Snider
1946	Denton	V. W. Sears	N. C. Teague	A. L. Snider
1947	Wallburg	E. F. Baker	N. C. Teague	A. L. Snider
1948	Smith Grove	Chas. F. Leek	N. C. Teague	A. L. Snider
1949	Sheets Memorial	J. O. Walton	J. O. Walton	A. L. Snider
1950	Stoners Grove/Holloways	C. M. Pegram	J. O. Walton	A. L. Snider
1951	Greenwood/Rich Fork	C. C. Edinger	J. O. Walton	A. L. Snider
1952	Churchland/Reeds	W. C. Reed	Sam J. Smith	W. H. Lomax
1953	N. Friendship/Welcome	J. T. Davis	Sam J. Smith	W. H. Lomax
1954	Oak Hill/Abbotts Creek	Robert Taylor	J. O. Walton	W. H. Lomax
1955	Jersey/Lexington,First	Elmer W. Day	J. O. Walton	W. H. Lomax
1956	Mills Home	W. N. Brookshire	J. Roy Clifford	J. Wade Jarrett
1957	Denton,First/Center Hill	Clarence Jenkins	J. Roy Clifford	J. Wade Jarrett
1958	Southside/Liberty	F. M. Powell	W. N. Brookshire	J. Wade Jarrett
1959	Reeds/Coggins Mem	Guy C. Moore	W. N. Brookshire	J. Wade Jarrett
1960	Wallburg/Greenwood	Inman Stewart	Leonard Rollins	Robert Nation
1961	Churchland/Smith Grove	W. H. Walton	Leonard Rollins	Robert Nation
1962	Oak Hill/Rich Fork	Fred Jurney	Roger Williams	Wm. F. Bowen, Jr.
1963	Erlanger/Park Place	Leonard Rollins	Roger Williams	Wm. F. Bowen, Jr.
1964	Carolina Mem/Stoner Grove	Charles Yount	B. V. Broadway	Wm. F. Bowen, Jr.
1965	Abbotts Creek/N.Friendship	Kenneth Miller	Carl Hemphill	Wm. F. Bowen, Jr.
1966	Thomasville,First/Center Hill	Bennie Crawford	Carl Hemphill	Richard Chapman
1967	Mills Home/Rich Fork	D. Hoke Coon	Bennie Crawford	Richard Chapman
1968	Lexington,First/Jersey	Carl Hemphill	Bennie Crawford	Dale R. Martin
1969	Denton,First/Summerville	H. M. Baker	William C. Adams	Dale R. Martin
1970	Hasty/Oak Hill	Jack Byrd	Jack Byrd	Dale R. Martin
1971	Welcome,First/Holloways	Melvin Greene	Jack Byrd	Morris Hollifield
1972	Greenwood/Hillside Park	Dean Harrold	Melvin Greene	Morris Hollifield
1973	Southside/Coggins Mem	James M. Lambert	Melvin Greene	Morris Hollifield
1974	Wallburg/Park Place	Dale R. Martin	Melvin Greene	Morris Hollifield
1975	Liberty/Carolina Mem	John H. Pace	Lamar L. Moore	Morris Hollifield
1976	Reeds/Smith Grove	Morris Hollifield	Lamar L. Moore	Morris Hollifield
1977	Welcome,First/Abbotts C.	Clyde B. Case	John H. Pace	Morris Hollifield
1978	Rich Fork/Calvary	Lamar L. Moore	John H. Pace	Morris Hollifield
1979	Churchland/N. Lexington	Jimmie Edwards	Max Evington	Morris Hollifield
1980	Jersey/Liberty	George Williamson	Max Evington	Morris Hollifield
1981	Coggins Mem/Southgate	Hugh Biggers	Warren Kerr	Morris Hollifield
1982	Abbotts Creek/Center Hill	Max Evington	Warren Kerr	Morris Hollifield
1983	N. Friendship/Wallburg	Dearl L. Bunce	Franklin Myers	Morris Hollifield
1984	Rich Fork/Greenwood	Robert Floyd	Brooks Hunt	Judy Wood
1985	Mills Home/Cedar Lodge	B. V. Broadway	Brooks Hunt	Judy Wood
1986	Carolina Mem/Hasty/Victory	Roy Cantrell	Brooks Hunt	Judy Wood

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1987	Churchland/Welcome,First	Jake Sharpe	Roy Cantrell	Judy Wood
1988	Thomasville,First/Park Place	Warren Kerr	Roy Cantrell	Judy Wood
1989	Reeds/Smith Grove	Paul Millwood	Morris Hollifield	Judy Wood
1990	Lexington,First/N.Lexington	Brooks Hunt	Morris Hollifield	Judy Wood
1991	Denton,First/Mills Home	Roy Queen	Gary Myers	Judy Wood
1992	Wallburg/Abbotts Creek	Charles Dickens	Gary Myers	Judy Wood
1993	Southside/Faith	Gary Myers	Bruce Hill/ Charles Penley, Jr.	Gail Beck
1994	Rich Fork/Oak Hill	Byron Barker	Charles Penley, Jr.	Gail Beck
1995	Jersey/Summerville	Warren Kerr	Stuart White	Gail Beck
1996	Coggins Mem/Lakeview	Fred Miller	Stuart White	Gail Beck
1997	Center Hill/Holloways	Leonard Rollins	Charles Dickens	Gail Beck
1998	Carolina Mem/ Thomasville, First	Charles Penley, Jr.	Charles Dickens	Gail Beck
1999	Lexington, First/ Stoner's Grove	Ray Howell, III	Markus Sink	Gail Beck
2000	Carolina Mem/Abbotts Creek	E. Mark Blair	Markus Sink	Gail Beck

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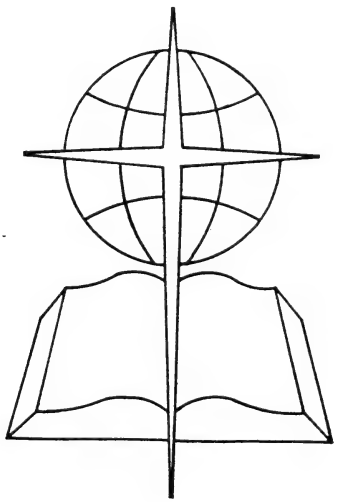
2. Is now Churchland
3. Is now Eldorado
4. Is now Clemmons
5. Is now Wallburg
6. Is now Randleman



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DIGEST OF CONGREGATIONAL PROFILES FOR 1999-2000 ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR

				1	Total Membership			
				3	Total Baptisms			
				4	Other Additions			
				15	Total SS Enrollment			
				16	SS Average Attendance			
				18	Vacation Bible School			
				19+20	Total DT Enrollment/Participation			
				21	MM Total Enrollment			
No.	**Congregation**	**1**	**3**	**4**	**15**	**16**	**18**	**19+20**
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	769	21	6	490	295	344	372
2	AMITY	61	2	0	48	25	31	0
3	CAROLINA MEMORIA	819	15	14	574	290	365	349
3	CEDAR LODGE	238	0	4	115	88	77	91
5	CENTER HILL	293	3	7	147	75	50	0
6	CENTRAL	86	3	5	51	25	65	24
7	CHURCHLAND	503	2	3	233	115	92	12
8	CLEARVIEW	93	3	5	3	3	20	0
9	COGGINS MEMORIAL	672	34	24	487	192	226	122
10	COLONIAL	281	8	9	187	99	100	13
11	DENTON, FIRST	360	20	0	207	94	88	73
12	FAITH	152	1	3	111	81	110	0
13	FLOYD	106	0	0	34	30	52	0
14	GREENWOOD	379	15	19	186	126	130	88
15	HASTY	240	0	1	28	24	0	0
16	HIGH ROCK	94	0	0	15	15	0	0
17	HILLSIDE PARK	691	9	17	252	195	130	0
18	HOLLOWAYS	208	8	4	134	79	105	0
19	JERSEY	495	14	4	293	201	140	281
20	LAKEVIEW	172	7	4	90	49	92	7
21	LEXINGTON, FIRST	1,077	4	19	519	250	179	0
22	LIBERTY	768	12	5	273	168	104	43
23	LICK CREEK	96	5	3	68	43	86	0
24	MILLS HOME	1,005	3	2	90	55	0	0
25	MOUNTAIN VIEW	161	0	5	81	55	72	0
26	NEW FRIENDSHIP	451	0	4	171	118	90	0
27	NORTH LEXINGTON	339	10	10	276	173	135	0
28	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	423	1	7	125	84	121	0
29	OAKHURST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	PARK PLACE	493	13	9	406	275	194	64
31	REEDS	519	2	0	327	187	80	0
32	RICH FORK	1,124	9	47	771	433	221	350
33	SMITH GROVE	378	15	21	177	97	155	124
34	SOUTHGATE	503	2	7	169	85	111	99
35	SOUTHSIDE	351	4	0	76	59	120	23
36	STONERS GROVE	334	2	0	102	57	59	0
37	SUMMERVILLE	414	18	8	247	149	269	23
38	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	551	1	10	227	126	36	10
39	TRINITY	180	10	7	97	46	60	0
40	VICTORY	93	2	0	77	45	0	0
41	WALLBURG	642	8	8	199	115	94	17
42	WELCOME, FIRST	848	21	19	543	234	343	165
	TOTALS	17,462	307	320	8,706	4,955	4,746	2,350

			23	WMU Total Enrollment					
			24	Brotherhood Total Enrollment					
			26+27+28	Total Receipts					
			29 thru 35	Total Mission Expenditures					
			29	Cooperative Program					
			30	Associational Missions					
			36	Value of Congregational Property					
			37	Congregational Debt					
No.	**21**	**23**	**24**	**26+27+28**	**29-35**	**29**	**30**	**36**	**37**
1	92	132	62	467,236	74,055	8,875	5,875	2,000,000	253,487
2	14	23	0	26,818	1,164	0	520	246,100	0
3	113	126	113	530,556	101,125	36,867	13,313	3,000,000	415,316
4	48	40	30	169,494	27,566	10,000	2,001	843,650	60,685
5	17	32	0	91,268	11,657	1,000	1,200	1,300,000	0
6	16	18	0	101,445	9,338	3,239	633	450,000	225,000
7	81	45	15	273,954	25,316	4,000	3,000	1,530,000	0
8	14	0	0	9,166	800	0	200	75,000	0
9	104	87	61	766,107	67,735	17,645	8,700	1,700,000	279,888
10	55	35	24	217,099	30,459	14,662	3,783	500,000	0
11	25	15	0	178,428	50,815	8,396	3,868	1,445,490	0
12	34	30	28	56,050	4,716	918	550	275,000	0
13	15	0	0	21,366	3,490	415	300	213,000	0
14	89	61	52	189,320	34,779	5,000	2,500	1,480,200	0
15	15	0	0	66,325	7,076	4,424	552	700,000	0
16	7	0	0	7,500	100	0	100	250,000	0
17	91	25	20	292,405	4,649	0	1,200	1,500,000	0
18	16	35	12	80,007	24,594	9,006	2,373	750,000	0
19	133	133	24	402,725	61,971	20,000	4,200	3,629,114	0
20	22	14	0	70,571	5,758	3,438	863	260,000	0
21	140	112	51	875,714	158,422	51,250	7,000	6,250,000	214,847
22	45	88	77	213,511	24,451	13,719	3,424	2,041,000	0
23	19	57	0	36,871	5,051	624	275	269,500	0
24	335	0	0	7,342	940	671	269	1,308,000	0
25	33	14	0	65,688	7,556	4,500	1,000	360,000	0
26	18	0	0	279,405	34,183	10,059	3,639	1,500,000	0
27	60	78	11	248,990	34,878	21,142	450	1,800,000	87,000
28	42	38	18	178,396	14,677	2,160	3,500	1,020,366	516,213
29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	77	74	38	291,087	44,256	24,379	9,688	1,250,000	630,923
31	76	47	10	228,712	48,055	31,885	8,034	1,525,606	0
32	332	79	14	830,910	99,336	47,228	6,000	3,655,000	0
33	38	75	10	121,275	18,179	5,941	2,250	1,498,500	0
34	72	27	8	176,627	17,840	6,853	5,482	1,601,800	0
35	18	20	8	98,387	17,893	9,147	2,744	1,950,000	0
36	22	15	12	99,626	18,074	8,500	1,100	510,039	0
37	78	62	77	157,769	25,300	11,208	4,505	1,139,000	0
38	56	77	40	288,521	24,487	9,637	2,893	2,577,000	0
39	18	34	29	91,102	17,821	8,492	2,157	315,000	0
40	15	13	0	59,823	4,983	640	440	500,000	0
41	59	47	40	240,292	9,554	5,900	2,000	1,000,000	0
42	99	77	28	562,273	64,534	40,618	9,414	2,161,600	506,805
	2,653	1,885	912	$9,170,161	$1,237,633	$462,438	$131,995	$56,379,965	$3,190,164

MEMBER/CONGREGATION INFORMATION FOR 1999-2000 ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR

1 Total Membership		4 Other Additions		
2 Resident Membership		5 New Member Training		
3 Total Baptisms		6 Year Organized		
a-Baptisms under 6		7 Year Pastor Came		
b-Baptisms Age 6-8		8 LOCATION CODE		
c-Baptisms Age 9-11		A-Open Country	MEDIUM CITY	
d-Baptisms Age 12-17		B-Village	E-Downtown	
e-Baptisms Age 18-29		C-Town	F-Neighborhood	
f-Baptisms Age 30-59		D-Small City	G-Suburbs	
g-Baptisms Age 60 & Up				

No.	Congregation	County	1	2	3	3a	3b	3c	3d	3e
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	Davidson	769	710	21	0	6	7	4	2
2	AMITY	Davidson	61	54	2	1	0	0	0	0
3	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	Davidson	819	639	15	0	3	3	2	1
3	CEDAR LODGE	Davidson	238	165	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	CENTER HILL	Davidson	293	153	3	0	0	1	0	1
6	CENTRAL	Davidson	86	84	3	0	0	0	0	0
7	CHURCHLAND	Davidson	503	445	2	0	0	0	1	0
8	CLEARVIEW	Davidson	93	93	3	0	1	1	0	0
9	COGGINS MEMORIAL	Davidson	672	548	34	0	6	7	8	4
10	COLONIAL	Randolph	281	280	8	0	4	2	1	0
11	DENTON, FIRST	Davidson	360	352	20	0	0	0	9	3
12	FAITH	Davidson	152	148	1	0	1	0	0	0
13	FLOYD	Davidson	106	76	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	GREENWOOD	Davidson	379	311	15	0	1	5	4	2
15	HASTY	Davidson	240	185	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	HIGH ROCK	Davidson	94	74	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	HILLSIDE PARK	Davidson	691	691	9	0	0	1	1	4
18	HOLLOWAYS	Davidson	208	109	8	0	1	1	2	2
19	JERSEY	Davidson	495	434	14	0	4	4	2	3
20	LAKEVIEW	Davidson	172	89	7	0	4	2	0	0
21	LEXINGTON, FIRST	Davidson	1,077	897	4	0	0	0	2	1
22	LIBERTY	Davidson	768	735	12	0	2	3	5	0
23	LICK CREEK	Davidson	96	72	5	0	1	2	0	1
24	MILLS HOME	Davidson	1,005	15	3	0	0	0	3	0
25	MOUNTAIN VIEW	Davidson	161	127	0	0	0	0	0	0
26	NEW FRIENDSHIP	Forsyth	451	404	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	NORTH LEXINGTON	Davidson	339	309	10	0	0	5	3	2
28	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	Davidson	423	423	1	0	0	0	0	1
29	OAKHURST	Davidson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	PARK PLACE	Davidson	493	456	13	0	4	1	1	3
31	REEDS	Davidson	519	451	2	0	0	2	0	0
32	RICH FORK	Davidson	1,124	1088	9	0	1	1	1	1
33	SMITH GROVE	Davidson	378	333	15	0	1	3	3	0
34	SOUTHGATE	Davidson	503	250	2	0	0	0	0	1
35	SOUTHSIDE	Davidson	351	351	4	0	0	1	0	1
36	STONERS GROVE	Davidson	334	272	2	0	0	0	1	1
37	SUMMERVILLE	Davidson	414	364	18	0	7	0	5	1
38	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	Davidson	551	413	1	0	0	1	0	0
39	TRINITY	Davidson	180	125	10	0	1	3	2	2
40	VICTORY	Davidson	93	93	2	0	0	1	0	1
41	WALLBURG	Davidson	642	642	8	0	0	4	2	1
42	WELCOME, FIRST	Davidson	848	721	21	0	8	4	0	3
	TOTALS		17,462	14,181	307	1	56	65	62	42

				9	AM Worship Service Attendance									
				10	Church-Type Missions Started									
				11	Church-Type Missions Operated									
				12	Lost/Unchurched (Y/N)									
				13	Associational Giving on Percentage Basis (Y/N)									
LARGE CITY				14	Intercessory Prayer Ministry (Y/N)									
H-Downtown				R/E	Racial/Ethnic Code 1: White, Non-Hispanic;									
I-Neighborhood					2-Black (African American); 3-Hispanic; 4-Native									
J-Suburbs					American; 5-Korean; 6-Chinese; 7-Other									

No.	3f	3g	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	R/E
1	2	0	6	14	1832		A	352	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
2	1	0	0	0	1976	1986	A	36	0	0	Y	N	Y	1
3	5	1	14	0	1930	1991	F	335	1	1	Y	Y	Y	1
4	0	0	4	0	1963	2000	F	135	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
5	0	1	7	0	1907	2000	G	120	0	0	N	N	Y	1
6	3	0	5	0	1993	1999	D	66	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
7	1	0	3	0	1837	1992	A	235	0	0	N	Y	Y	1
8	1	0	5	13	1953	1998	F	35	0	0	N	N	N	1
3	9	0	24	0	1951	1990	F	245	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
10	1	0	9	17	1989	1998	A	125	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
11	8	0	0	25	1891	1989	C	150	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
12	0	0	3	1	1973	2000	A	85	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
13	0	0	0	0	1942	1994	A	41	0	0	N	N	N	1
14	3	0	19	10	1946	1999	F	186	0	0	Y	N	Y	1
15	0	0	1	0	1957		A	47	0	0	N	Y	N	1
16	0	0	0	0	1947	1997	A	20	0	0	N	N	N	1
17	2	1	17	0	1964	1978	C	283	0	0	Y	N	Y	1
18	2	0	4	0	1836	1999	A	72	0	0	N	Y	Y	1
19	1	0	4	13	1755	1998	A	195	0	0	N	Y	Y	1
20	1	0	4	0	1944	1999	A	61	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
21	1	0	19	16	1881	1990	F	500	0	0	N	N	N	1
22	2	0	5	10	1828	1995	A	175	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
23	1	0	3	0	1787	1993	A	64	0	0	Y	N	Y	1
24	0	0	2	0	1891	1992	F	60	0	0	N	Y	Y	1
25	0	0	5	0	1939	2000	A	65	0	0	Y	N	Y	1
26	0	0	4	5	1827		A	107	0	0	N	Y	N	1
27	0	0	10	0	1916	1975	F	220	0	0	Y	N	Y	1
28	0	0	7	0	1939	1989	A	170	0	0	N	N	Y	1
29	0	0	0	0	1969	1997	C	0	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
30	3	1	9	0	1938	1994	F	180	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
31	0	0	0	0	1839	1998	A	185	0	0	N	Y	N	1
32	3	2	47	60	1884	1982	G	600	1	1	Y	Y	N	1
33	8	0	21	0	1909	1999	A	136	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
34	1	0	7	0	1946	1998	F	200	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
35	1	1	0	0	1913	1999	C	60	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
36	0	0	0	0	1900		A	85	0	0	N	Y	N	1
37	5	0	8	18	1873	1999	A	190	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
38	0	0	10	14	1859	1999	E	131	0	0	Y	N	Y	1
39	2	0	7	0	1981	1997	A	78	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
40	0	0	0	0	1954	2000	A	65	0	0	N	Y	N	1
41	1	0	8	0	1892	1995	B	157	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
42	6	0	19	32	1911	1999	D	292	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
	74	7	320	248				6,544	2	2				

	BIBLE STUDY/SUNDAY SCHOOL INFORMATION FOR 1999-2000 ASSOCIATIONAL							
			15	Total SS Enrollment				
				a-Preschool Birth-5				
				b-Children 6-11				
				c-Youth 12-17				
				d-Adults 18-24				
				e-Adults 25-34				
				f-Adults 35-54				
No.	**Congregation**	**15**	**15a**	**15b**	**15c**	**15d**	**15e**	**15f**
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	490	62	59	49	22	90	140
2	AMITY	48	2	4	7	1	5	13
3	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	574	69	66	51	28	32	88
4	CEDAR LODGE	115	3	2	15	13	16	16
5	CENTER HILL	147	12	16	10	5	6	31
6	CENTRAL	51	3	5	7	0	5	12
7	CHURCHLAND	233	22	34	33	10	25	40
8	CLEARVIEW	3	0	2	0	0	0	1
9	COGGINS MEMORIAL	487	40	57	54	47	58	123
10	COLONIAL	187	16	11	40	13	38	46
11	DENTON, FIRST	207	9	20	29	20	15	25
12	FAITH	111	10	8	17	12	20	12
13	FLOYD	34	6	2	2	0	0	9
14	GREENWOOD	186	16	24	8	18	18	33
15	HASTY	28	0	0	3	0	0	12
16	HIGH ROCK	15	1	0	1	2	0	5
17	HILLSIDE PARK	252	33	22	28	8	13	94
18	HOLLOWAYS	134	15	19	10	2	15	17
19	JERSEY	293	25	27	28	10	25	28
20	LAKEVIEW	90	16	15	10	2	18	16
21	LEXINGTON, FIRST	519	51	54	49	10	27	107
22	LIBERTY	273	18	27	27	6	20	66
23	LICK CREEK	68	7	7	14	2	11	13
24	MILLS HOME	96	4	11	60	4	6	6
25	MOUNTAIN VIEW	81	5	6	4	6	8	31
26	NEW FRIENDSHIP	171	23	18	11	0	36	50
27	NORTH LEXINGTON	276	27	43	40	10	10	74
28	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	125	8	12	15	8	20	38
29	OAKHURST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	PARK PLACE	406	33	40	32	3	51	58
31	REEDS	327	40	27	40	5	33	66
32	RICH FORK	771	121	135	124	8	99	148
33	SMITH GROVE	177	10	18	14	0	30	18
34	SOUTHGATE	169	24	31	16	11	19	41
35	SOUTHSIDE	76	12	5	9	5	7	15
36	STONERS GROVE	102	5	11	10	2	10	19
37	SUMMERVILLE	247	20	31	22	16	27	79
38	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	227	7	17	26	0	3	22
39	TRINITY	97	7	10	22	0	0	40
40	VICTORY	77	1	2	4	7	2	15
41	WALLBURG	199	9	19	7	17	40	31
42	WELCOME, FIRST	543	56	59	73	111	72	117
	TOTALS	8,712	848	976	1,021	444	930	1,815

YEAR						
		g-Adults 55 & Up				
		h-General Officers				
		i-Other Bible Study				
	16	SS Average Weekly Attendance				
	17	SS Member Not Member of Congregation				
	18	Vacation Bible School				
No.	**15g**	**15h**	**15i**	**16**	**17**	**18**
1	64	4	0	295	**8**	344
2	14	2	0	25	**8**	31
3	222	3	15	290	19	365
4	50	0	0	88	7	77
5	35	4	28	75	10	50
6	17	2	0	25	0	65
7	63	6	0	115	9	92
8	0	0	0	3	0	20
9	101	7	0	192	15	226
10	19	4	0	99	0	100
11	62	9	18	94	22	**88**
12	29	3	0	81	5	110
13	15	0	0	30	3	52
14	64	5	0	126	12	130
15	11	2	0	24	0	0
16	6	0	0	15	0	0
17	42	12	0	195	0	130
18	54	2	0	79	22	105
19	147	3	0	201	6	140
20	11	2	0	49	4	92
21	213	**8**	0	250	15	179
22	86	3	20	168	17	104
23	14	0	0	43	6	86
24	3	2	0	55	0	0
25	20	1	0	55	0	72
26	29	4	0	118	18	90
27	43	5	24	173	0	135
28	21	3	0	84	0	121
29	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	82	7	100	275	125	194
31	115	1	0	187	5	80
32	111	18	7	433	21	221
33	82	5	0	97	0	155
34	22	5	0	85	4	111
35	19	4	0	59	14	120
36	40	5	0	57	3	59
37	47	5	0	149	0	269
38	152	0	0	126	0	36
39	16	2	0	46	4	60
40	27	4	15	45	0	0
41	72	4	0	115	0	94
42	42	13	0	234	39	343
	2,282	169	227	4,955	421	4,746

DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING INFORMATION FOR 1999-2000 ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR							
		19	TOTAL ONGOING DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING				
			a-Ongoing Preschool B-5				
			b-Ongoing Children 6-11				
			c-Ongoing Youth 12-17				
			d-Ongoing Adult 18 & Up				
			e-DT General Offiers				
No.	**Congregation**	**19**	**19a**	**19b**	**19c**	**19d**	**19e**
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	AMITY	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	95	18	20	33	20	4
3	CEDAR LODGE	52	7	7	6	30	2
5	CENTER HILL	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	CENTRAL	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	CHURCHLAND	12	0	0	6	4	2
8	CLEARVIEW	0	0	0	0	0	0
9	COGGINS MEMORIAL	110	15	40	30	22	3
10	COLONIAL	13	0	0	0	12	1
11	DENTON, FIRST	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	FAITH	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	FLOYD	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	GREENWOOD	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	HASTY	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	HIGH ROCK	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	HILLSIDE PARK	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	HOLLOWAYS	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	JERSEY	68	5	8	12	40	3
20	LAKEVIEW	7	0	0	4	0	2
21	LEXINGTON, FIRST	0	0	0	0	0	0
22	LIBERTY	35	5	6	14	8	2
23	LICK CREEK	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	MILLS HOME	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	MOUNTAIN VIEW	0	0	0	0	0	0
26	NEW FRIENDSHIP	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	NORTH LEXINGTON	0	0	0	0	0	0
28	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	0	0	0	0	0	0
29	OAKHURST	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	PARK PLACE	64	26	11	23	0	4
31	REEDS	0	0	0	0	0	0
32	RICH FORK	164	0	50	60	50	4
33	SMITH GROVE	97	0	0	12	85	0
34	SOUTHGATE	94	7	23	18	40	6
35	SOUTHSIDE	0	0	0	0	0	0
36	STONERS GROVE	0	0	0	0	0	0
37	SUMMERVILLE	23	0	8	3	8	4
38	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	0	0	0	0	0	0
39	TRINITY	0	0	0	0	0	0
40	VICTORY	0	0	0	0	0	0
41	WALLBURG	17	0	0	15	0	2
42	WELCOME, FIRST	118	15	16	55	31	1
	TOTALS	969	98	189	291	350	40

		20	TOTAL SHORT-TERM DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING				
			a-Short-Term Preschool				
			b-Short-Term Children				
			c-Short-Term Youth				
			d-Short-Term Adults				
		19+20	Total DT Enrollment/Participation				
No.	**20**	**20a**	**20b**	**20c**	**20d**	**19+20**	
1	372	10	50	87	225	372	
2	0	0	0	0	0	0	
3	254	0	0	0	254	349	
4	39	0	4	5	30	91	
5	0	0	0	0	0	0	
6	24	0	0	0	24	24	
7	0	0	0	0	0	12	
8	0	0	0	0	0	0	
9	12	0	0	0	12	122	
10	0	0	0	0	0	13	
11	73	0	0	14	59	73	
12	0	0	0	0	0	0	
13	0	0	0	0	0	0	
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35	23	0	0	0	23	23	
36	0	0	0	0	0	0	
37	0	0	0	0	0	23	
38	10	0	0	0	10	10	
39	0	0	0	0	0	0	
40	0	0	0	0	0	0	
41	0	0	0	0	0	17	
42	47	0	0	0	47	165	
	1381	25	137	195	1024	2,350	

	FINANCIAL INFORMATION FOR 1999-2000 ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR					
		26	Undesignated Girfts			
		27	Designated Gifts			
		28	Other Receipts			
		29	Cooperative Program			
		30	Associational Missions			
No.	**Congregation**	**26**	**27**	**28**	**29**	**30**
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	322,681	144,555	0	8,875	5,875
2	AMITY	26,743	75	0	0	520
3	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	409,687	110,843	10,026	36,867	13,313
3	CEDAR LODGE	121,163	47,857	474	10,000	2,001
5	CENTER HILL	76,321	8,195	6,752	1,000	1,200
6	CENTRAL	66,925	34,520	0	3,239	633
7	CHURCHLAND	144,077	116,362	13,515	4,000	3,000
8	CLEARVIEW	8,332	834	0	0	200
9	COGGINS MEMORIAL	292,596	82,068	391,443	17,645	8,700
10	COLONIAL	205,085	12,014	0	14,662	3,783
11	DENTON, FIRST	123,153	55,000	275	8,396	3,868
12	FAITH	46,644	9,406	0	918	550
13	FLOYD	20,422	944	0	415	300
14	GREENWOOD	168,107	11,234	9,979	5,000	2,500
15	HASTY	51,747	7,178	7,400	4,424	552
16	HIGH ROCK	7,500	0	0	0	100
17	HILLSIDE PARK	291,233	1,172	0	0	1,200
18	HOLLOWAYS	74,991	3,790	1,226	9,006	2,373
19	JERSEY	294,813	107,537	375	20,000	4,200
20	LAKEVIEW	58,392	9,179	3,000	3,438	863
21	LEXINGTON FIRST	722,284	108,596	44,834	51,250	7,000
22	LIBERTY	176,430	34,649	2,432	13,719	3,424
23	LICK CREEK	29,314	7,466	91	624	275
24	MILLS HOME	6,440	902	0	671	268
25	MOUNTAIN VIEW	62,194	3,494	0	4,500	1,000
26	NEW FRIENDSHIP	187,760	84,374	7,271	10,059	3,639
27	NORTH LEXINGTON	213,951	35,039	0	21,142	600
28	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	172,592	5,103	701	2,160	3,500
29	OAKHURST	0	0	0	0	0
30	PARK PLACE	242,821	47,832	434	24,379	9,688
31	REEDS	181,086	47,626	0	31,885	8,034
32	RICH FORK	751,898	57,041	21,971	47,228	6,000
33	SMITH GROVE	108,235	8,183	4,857	5,941	2,250
34	SOUTHGATE	148,742	27,885	0	6,853	5,482
35	SOUTHSIDE	91,473	5,223	1,691	9,147	2,744
36	STONERS GROVE	86,749	12,087	790	8,500	1,100
37	SUMMERVILLE	123,004	34,765	0	11,208	4,505
38	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	223,814	63,857	850	9,637	2,893
39	TRINITY	79,510	11,592	0	8,492	2,157
40	VICTORY	49,500	2,374	7,949	640	440
41	WALLBURG	201,471	24,224	14,597	5,900	2,000
42	WELCOME, FIRST	334,649	87,966	139,658	40,618	9,414
	TOTALS	$7,004,529	$1,473,041	$692,591	$462,438	$132,144

	31	State Missions					
	32	Annie Armstrong					
	33	Lottie Moon					
	34	Other SBC Mission Expenditures					
	35	Non-SBC Mission Expenditures					
No.	**31**	**32**	**33**	**34**	**35**	**36**	**37**
1	4,200	7,739	12,847	7,739	26,780	2,000,000	253,487
2	119	60	60	405	0	246,100	0
3	6,143	2,704	18,076	16,590	7,432	3,000,000	415,316
3	1,500	1,385	2,654	1,100	8,926	843,650	60,685
5	794	1,276	2,487	1,577	3,323	1,300,000	0
6	2,591	610	700	965	600	450,000	225,000
7	882	581	997	12,000	3,856	1,530,000	0
8	100	100	200	200	0	75,000	0
9	2,068	2,805	5,616	11,220	19,681	1,700,000	279,888
10	350	3,674	4,860	2,905	225	500,000	0
11	0	670	1,870	1,399	34,612	1,445,490	0
12	400	686	870	250	1,042	275,000	0
13	200	200	305	1,100	970	213,000	0
14	960	965	2,279	5,700	17,375	1,480,200	0
15	0	300	300	1,500	0	700,000	0
16	0	0	0	0	0	250,000	0
17	91	104	2,500	754	0	1,500,000	0
18	476	956	2,171	8,811	801	750,000	0
19	9,595	6,595	13,486	6,185	1,910	3,629,114	0
20	0	337	547	0	573	260,000	0
21	17,500	715	690	19,348	61,919	6,250,000	214,847
22	235	759	1,435	3,286	1,593	2,041,000	0
23	526	493	423	1,260	1,450	269,500	0
24	0	0	0	0	0	1,308,000	0
25	5	600	1,451	0	0	360,000	0
26	426	3,817	10,217	505	5,520	1,500,000	0
27	450	1,687	4,656	6,343	0	1,800,000	87,000
28	480	1,228	3,159	3,950	200	1,020,366	516,213
29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	1,180	2,165	5,088	50	1,706	1,250,000	630,923
31	1,980	1,739	4,417	0	0	1,525,606	0
32	1,725	3,057	7,985	0	33,341	3,655,000	0
33	80	2,509	3,570	1,741	2,088	1,498,500	0
34	0	631	838	0	4,036	1,601,800	0
35	203	1,222	1,856	191	2,530	1,950,000	0
36	0	587	1,555	6,128	204	510,039	0
37	754	1,593	2,305	2,109	2,826	1,139,000	0
38	1,823	3,091	4,750	0	2,293	2,577,000	0
39	210	567	1,300	4,945	150	315,000	0
40	420	1,262	1,311	640	270	500,000	0
41	432	941	4,101	2,021	0	1,000,000	0
42	2,347	3,599	7,374	1,182	0	2,161,600	506,805
	$61,245	$64,009	$141,306	$134,099	$248,232	$56,379,965	$3,190,164

	MISSIONS INVOLVEMENT/EDUCATION INFORMATION FOR 1999-2000							
	ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR							
		22	MISSION PROJECTS PARTICIPATION					
			a-Local Community					
			b-State/National					
			c-International					
		23	TOTAL WMU ENROLLMENT					
		24	TOTAL BROTHERHOOD ENROLLMENT					

No.	Congregation	22	22a	22b	22c	22d	23	24
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	197	75	75	25	22	132	62
2	AMITY	0	0	0	0	0	23	0
3	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	111	70	28	11	2	126	113
3	CEDAR LODGE	23	0	7	14	2	40	30
5	CENTER HILL	0	0	0	0	0	32	0
6	CENTRAL	2	0	0	0	2	18	0
7	CHURCHLAND	62	30	30	0	2	45	15
8	CLEARVIEW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9	COGGINS MEMORIAL	23	15	8	0	0	87	61
10	COLONIAL	0	0	0	0	0	35	24
11	DENTON, FIRST	5	0	5	0	0	15	0
12	FAITH	0	0	0	0	0	30	28
13	FLOYD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	GREENWOOD	86	20	61	0	5	61	52
15	HASTY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	HIGH ROCK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	HILLSIDE PARK	0	0	0	0	0	25	20
18	HOLLOWAYS	14	12	2	0	0	35	12
19	JERSEY	141	66	74	0	1	133	24
20	LAKEVIEW	2	0	1	0	1	14	0
21	LEXINGTON, FIRST	281	225	24	1	31	112	51
22	LIBERTY	159	106	48	0	5	88	77
23	LICK CREEK	8	0	8	0	0	57	0
24	MILLS HOME	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	MOUNTAIN VIEW	0	0	0	0	0	14	0
26	NEW FRIENDSHIP	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	NORTH LEXINGTON	86	60	26	0	0	78	11
28	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	0	0	0	0	0	38	18
29	OAKHURST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	PARK PLACE	73	2	12	57	2	53	38
31	REEDS	279	204	45	28	2	47	10
32	RICH FORK	400	100	200	40	100	79	14
33	SMITH GROVE	90	90	0	0	0	75	10
34	SOUTHGATE	26	20	6	0	0	27	8
35	SOUTHSIDE	6	6	0	0	0	20	8
36	STONERS GROVE	0	0	0	0	0	15	12
37	SUMMERVILLE	28	20	8	0	0	62	77
38	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	42	42	0	0	0	77	40
39	TRINITY	0	0	0	0	0	34	29
40	VICTORY	0	0	0	0	0	13	0
41	WALLBURG	23	12	6	5	0	47	40
42	WELCOME, FIRST	42	0	13	27	2	77	28
	TOTALS	2,209	1,175	687	208	179	1,864	912

	MUSIC MINISTRY INFORMATION FOR 1999-2000 ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR						
		21	TOTAL MUSIC MINISTRY ENROLLMENT				
			a-Preschool 3-5 Years				
			b-Children 6-11 Years				
			c-Youth 12-17 Years				
			d-Adult Choirs 18 & Up				
			e-Other Music Groups				
No.	**Congregation**	**21**	**21a**	**21b**	**21c**	**21d**	**21e**
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	92	15	25	10	38	4
2	AMITY	14	3	0	3	8	0
3	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	113	30	17	6	46	14
3	CEDAR LODGE	48	0	12	6	26	4
5	CENTER HILL	17	0	0	0	17	0
6	CENTRAL	16	0	0	0	16	0
7	CHURCHLAND	81	15	8	8	50	0
8	CLEARVIEW	14	0	0	0	14	0
9	COGGINS MEMORIAL	104	10	40	15	35	4
10	COLONIAL	55	0	10	10	35	0
11	DENTON, FIRST	25	0	5	5	15	0
12	FAITH	34	0	2	6	11	15
13	FLOYD	15	0	0	1	14	0
14	GREENWOOD	89	10	15	9	38	17
15	HASTY	15	0	0	0	15	0
16	HIGH ROCK	7	0	0	0	7	0
17	HILLSIDE PARK	91	7	22	2	50	10
18	HOLLOWAYS	16	0	0	0	16	0
19	JERSEY	133	7	16	10	50	50
20	LAKEVIEW	22	0	1	3	13	5
21	LEXINGTON FIRST	140	12	12	23	81	12
22	LIBERTY	45	4	10	0	23	8
23	LICK CREEK	19	0	0	0	19	0
24	MILLS HOME	335	200	100	10	25	0
25	MOUNTAIN VIEW	33	0	5	8	20	0
26	NEW FRIENDSHIP	18	0	0	0	18	0
27	NORTH LEXINGTON	60	15	0	5	40	0
28	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	42	0	0	0	30	12
29	OAKHURST	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	PARK PLACE	57	0	0	0	43	14
31	REEDS	76	10	15	20	31	0
32	RICH FORK	332	28	29	33	126	116
33	SMITH GROVE	38	6	7	10	15	0
34	SOUTHGATE	72	0	10	14	32	16
35	SOUTHSIDE	18	0	0	0	18	0
36	STONERS GROVE	22	0	0	0	22	0
37	SUMMERVILLE	78	4	14	10	30	20
38	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	56	0	3	9	28	16
39	TRINITY	18	0	0	2	16	0
40	VICTORY	15	0	0	0	11	4
41	WALLBURG	59	0	24	0	35	0
42	WELCOME, FIRST	99	11	19	0	29	40
	TOTALS	2,633	387	421	238	1206	381

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2001 ANNUAL

Winter Quarterly Meeting
January 15, 2001
Coggins Memorial Baptist Church

Spring Quarterly Meeting
April 9, 2001
Southgate Baptist Church

Summer Quarterly Meeting
July 9, 2001
First Baptist Church, Denton

Annual Meeting
October 1, 2001
First Baptist Church,
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Denton North Carolina

One Hundred Sixty-Ninth Annual Session
October 1, 2001
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Welcome, North Carolina

Mission Statement:

To be a Spirit-led family of churches who train, counsel, encourage and assist each other in fulfilling the Great Commandment and Great Commission"

The 2001 Associational Annual
is dedicated in memory of the
Rev. Leonard Rollins
September 1, 1927 - December 7, 2001

The Rev. Rollins was born in Spindale, N.C., September 1, 1927, to Harry Thomas Rollins and Cora Bridges Rollins. He graduated from Central High School in Spindale and from Mars Hill College in 1948. He graduated from Wake Forest College in 1950 with a bachelor of arts degree. He attended New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary for two years, where he met his wife, Polly. They were married August 17, 1951. He went on to graduate from Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary in Wake Forest in 1954 with a B.D. degree.

While in college he was the associate pastor for Viewmount Baptist Church in Hickory, Hocutt Memorial in Burlington and First Baptist Church in Lexington. He worked with Coggins Baptist Church Mission in Lexington for six months prior to going to New Orleans, where he was called from the seminary to become pastor. He served Coggins from August 1952 to 1963. He was Director of Missions of Liberty Baptist Association from March 1963 to December 1992. He also served as Interim Director of Missions until August of 1993.

During this retirement he continued to do supply and interim work for First Baptist Church in Cooleemee, Wallburg Baptist Church, Center Hill Baptist Church in Lexington and Lakeview Baptist Church in Linwood.

The Rev. Rollins was very active in the community and served as chaplain for Sertoma Civic Club in 1962, and on the Lexington Challenge Task Force for Quality of Life and the City's Image. He also served on the Human Relations Commission for the City of Lexington and the Lexington Community Development Corporation.

Polly and Leonard had three daughters: Jane Rollins married Steve Coldiron. They live in Atlanta, Georgia, and have two children, Matthew Stephen and Jonathan Andrew. Mary Lou lives in Durham. Lora Ann married J. R. Houchins. They live in Lexington and have two children, Sarah Ashley and Robert Isaac.

It is most appropriate that the picture shows Rev. Rollins at a pulpit because he was first and foremost a preacher of the gospel of Jesus Christ. Rev. Rollins went to be with His Lord on December 7, 2001.

A Tribute to a Servant: Leonard Rollins

The following remarks were made by Dr. Ray Howell, III, Pastor of First Baptist Church, Lexington, at the funeral service on December 10, 2001.

"Leonard Rollins was a servant. In a quiet and unassuming way, he lived out his calling through humble service and faithful ministry. If God ever gave us a clear example of what it means to live and minister in the spirit of Christ, He did so through Leonard Rollins.

When you look at Leonard's life and ministry, there is one truth that shines through: faithfulness. He was faithful. Faithful to this God and to his calling. He was faithful to his dear wife Polly, to his lovely family. He was faithful to his neighbors and his community. The word is faithfulness.

There is a passage of Scripture in the book of Proverbs, "The pathway of the just is a shining light, that shineth more and more until the perfect day."

Years ago Leonard felt the call of God. His was a calling to preach the Gospel, to share the good news. When Leonard responded to that calling, he placed his feet on the path of righteousness. And from that day on, his education, his profession, his decisions, his responses, his hopes and dreams were lived out in his pilgrimage on the pathway of light.

He found a helpmate, one who would walk by his side. One who shared his sense of calling, and together Leonard and Polly have been special servants, living their lives in Christian love and together giving us a marvelous example of what it means to be disciples of Jesus.

If Leonard were here today, the first thing he would do is to say something to makes us laugh. You just loved to be with Leonard, because he knew how to laugh and to make you laugh with him. The second truth Leonard would tell us is that death has not won any victories here today. We haven't come here to say goodbye, we have come to be reminded that we shall meet again. We haven't come to accept defeat at the hands of death, we have come here to claim the victory in the hands of Jesus. The third thing Leonard would say is that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing to the glory that will be revealed to us. I am sure he would tell us that there is no way that we can even begin to imagine the glories of our heavenly home.

Heaven is a brighter place today because Leonard is there. There are smiles on the faces of the Saints. I'm confident that when they have a covered dish in heaven, they let the good Lord go first, but I think I know who is next in line.

We have not given up Leonard to death, but to a living Christ who was there on Friday morning to receive him with open arms. The Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. 'They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength, they shall mount us with wings like eagles, they shall run and not be weary, they shall wall and not faint.'"

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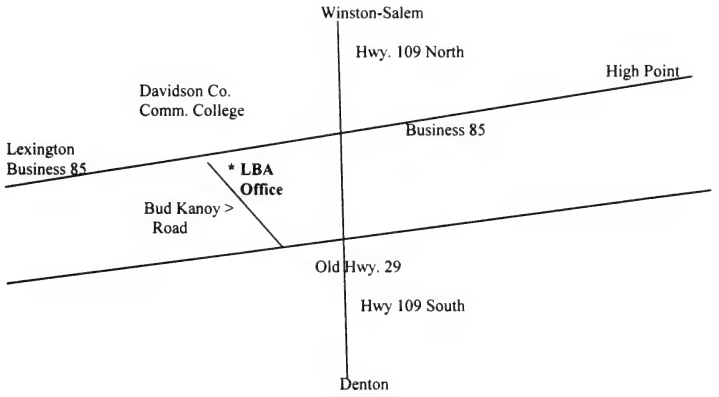

LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION OF NORTH CAROLINA
CALENDAR OF EVENTS - 2001-2002

SEPTEMBER 2001

3 Labor Day Holiday (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)
4 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
7-8 Key Leadership Training/Equipping Today's Church (ETC) Conference, Ridgecrest
9-16 Week of Prayer and North Carolina Missions Offering
11 6:30 pm-Youth Ministries Committee, Golden Corral, Lexington
12 2:00 pm-Place & Preacher Committee, Associational Office
13 7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office
14-15 Sunday School Leadership Training Conference, Caraway
14-15 Lad/Crusader Camporee, Caraway Campgrounds
14-15 NC Baptist Men's Board Meeting, Baptist Building, Cary
14-15 WMU Board Meeting, Mundo Vista
17 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational Office
20 6:30 pm -Liberty Association Secretaries Cookout, Home of Evva Spurgeon
21-22 Lad/Crusader Camporee, Caraway Campgrounds
25 9:00 am-3:00 pm-Web Site Development Seminar, Associational Office
27 7:00 pm-Missions Development Committee, Associational Office
28-29 NC WMU Women's Conference, Hickory Grove Baptist Church, Charlotte

OCTOBER 2001

Cooperative Program Month/Stewardship Emphasis (all of October)
1 2:45 & 6:20 pm-Annual Meeting, First Baptist Church, Welcome
3 10:00 am-Evangelism Committee, Associational Office
8 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
8 7:30 pm-Brotherhood/Baptist Men Leadership Team, Associational Office
9 7:00 pm-Youth Ministries Committee, Faith Baptist Church, Denton
12-13 Royal Ambassador Leadership Training, Caraway
14 World Hunger Day
15 7:00 pm-Brotherhood/Baptist Men Leadership Team, Associational Office
18 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
19-20 Adult Campcraft Training, Caraway Campgrounds
19-20 Literacy Missions Retreat, Caraway
21-24 *"Jesus: The Light of the World"* -Association-Wide Simultaneous Revivals
21 3:00 pm-WMU Leadership Team, Associational Office
22 10:30 am-Minister's Conference, Associational Office
22 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational Office
26-27 Conference on Addictions, Caraway
27 6:00 pm-Until-Y.E.S Youth Rally, Tysinger Farm, Denton
28 Association-Wide High Attendance Day

NOVEMBER 2001

4-10 Royal Ambassador Week in the Churches
5 Baptist Women's Day of Prayer
5-7 NC Baptist Secretaries Association Conference, Caraway
7 10:00 am-Evangelism Committee, Associational Office
8 7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office
12-14 NC Southern Baptist Convention Annual Meeting, Winston-Salem
12-19 Week of Prayer and Special Offering for Baptist Children's Homes
22-23 Thanksgiving Holiday (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)
26 10:30 am-Minister's Conference, Associational Office
26 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational Office

DECEMBER 2001

1-8 Week of Prayer for International Missions & Lottie Moon Christmas Offering
5 10:00 *am-"On Mission Celebration"* Committee, Associational Office
10 6:30 pm-Minister's Conference Christmas Banquet, Carolina Memorial Baptist Church
20 6:30 pm-Davidson Prison Ministry Christmas Party
24,25,26 Christmas Holidays (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)

JANUARY 2002

1 New Year's Holiday (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)
7 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
7 7:00 pm-*"On Mission Celebration"* Committee, Associational Office
7 7:00 pm-Youth Ministries Committee, Carolina Memorial Baptist Church
7-8 1:00 pm Monday-9:15 pm Tuesday, State Evangelism Conference,
Village Baptist Church, Fayetteville
10 7:00 pm-Missions Development Committee, Associational Office
11-12 Acteens Lock-In, Jersey Baptist Church
14 6:00 pm-Executive Board Meeting, Reeds Baptist Church
14 6:30-8:30 pm -Winter Associational Meeting, Reeds Baptist Church
17 9:00 am-Senior Adults Committee, Associational Office
17 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
20 3:00 pm-WMU Leadership Team, Associational Office
21 7:00 pm-Brotherhood/Baptist Men Leadership Team, Associational Office
22-24 Ministers' Spouse Retreat, Caraway
24 7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office
27 Baptist Men's Day in the Churches
28 10:30 am-Minister's Conference, Associational Office
28 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational Office

FEBRUARY 2002

3-10 Week of Prayer and Special Offering for Baptist Retirement Homes
2 7:00 pm-Y.E.S Youth Rally/True Love Waits Service, Carolina Memorial Baptist Church
5 7:00 pm-Meeting Program Committee, Associational Office
11-17 WMU Focus Week
12 7:00 pm-Youth Ministries Committee, Location TBA
15-16 Associational WMU Leaders Retreat, Mundo Vista
17 Baptist Seminaries, Colleges and Universities Day
18 7:00 pm-VBS Early Planning Clinic, Carolina Memorial Baptist Church, Thomasville
21 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
24 Volunteer in Missions Day
25 8:30 am-Minister's Conference, Breakfast at Loflin's Restaurant, Thomasville
25 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational Office
28 7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office

MARCH 2002

1 Camp Mundo Vista Summer Camp Registration Opens
1-2 NC Baptist Missions Conference/Baptist Men's Convention, Cornerstone Baptist Ch., Charlotte
3-10 Week of Prayer for North American Missions and Annie Armstrong Easter Offering
4 7:00 pm-Youth Ministries Committee, Location TBA
9 2:00 pm-Lads Car Races/Mission Fair, Liberty Baptist Church, Thomasville
10 2:00 pm-Crusaders Car Races/Mission Fair, Liberty Baptist Church, Thomasville
11 7:00 am-*"On Mission Celebration"* Committee, Associational Office
16 8:00 am-5:00 pm-Medical Dental Bus, Coggins Memorial Baptist Church
18 7:00 am-*"On Mission Celebration"* Committee, Carolina Memorial Baptist Church
21 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
23 Children in Action Day, Mundo Vista
24 Associational Bible Drills, First Baptist Church, Welcome

25 10:30 am-Minister's Conference, Associational Office
25 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational Office
28 7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office
31 Easter Sunday

APRIL 2002

1 Easter Holiday (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)
4 7:00 pm-Missions Development Committee, Associational Office
5-6 GA Day, Mundo Vista
8 2:45 pm & 6:20 pm-Spring Associational Meeting, New Friendship Baptist Church
12-13 WMU Prayer Retreat, Mundo Vista
13 Lad/Crusader RA Congresses
13 12:30-3:00 pm-Senior Adult Luncheon, Oak Hill Memorial Baptist Church
14 Cooperative Program Day
14 3:00 pm-WMU Leadership Team, Associational Office
15 7:00 pm-Brotherhood/Baptist Men Leadership Team, Associational Office
15 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational Office
15 7:00 am-*"On Mission Celebration"* Committee, Location TBA
18 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
19-21 Missions Extravaganza #1, "Language Track," Lifeway Conference Center, Ridgecrest
20 8:30 am-Associational RA Track Meet, Location TBA
22 10:30 am-Minister's Conference, Associational Office
22 6:30-8:30 pm-WMU Annual Meeting, Reeds Baptist Church, Lexington
26-27 Disaster Recovery Expo, Caraway
26-28 Missions Extravaganza #2, Lifeway Conference Center, Ridgecrest
28 EarthStewards Sunday
29 7:00 pm-VBS Clinic, Carolina Memorial Baptist Church, Thomasville

MAY 2002

3-4 Father/Son Overnight, Caraway
4 State Royal Ambassadors/Challengers Track Meet
5-12 Week of Prayer and Special Offering for North Carolina Baptist Hospital
13-15 Senior Adult Conference, Caraway
14 7:00 pm-Senior Adult Council, Center Hill Baptist Church
16 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
18 Finalist Youth Bible Drills and Speakers' Tournament, Thomasville
20 8:30 am-Minister's Conference, Breakfast at Loflin's Restaurant, Thomasville
20 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational Office
20-26 National Associational Emphasis Week
27 Memorial Day Holiday (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)

JUNE 2002

Vacation Bible Schools (June - August)
GA Summer Camp Opportunities-June 10-14; 17-21; 24-28; July 15-19; 22-26; 31-August 2
10 Caraway Summer Camp for boys opens
12-13 Southern Baptist Convention, St. Louis, Mo
20 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
21-23 - Father/Son Mini-Camp, Camp Caraway
24 10:30 am-Minister's Conference, Associational Office
24 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational Office
27 7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office

JULY 2002

2 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
2 7:00 pm-Missions Development Committee, Associational Office
3-5 Father/Son Mini-Camp, Camp Caraway
4 July 4th Holiday (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)

8 6:30-8:30 pm-Summer Associational Meeting, Cedar Lodge Baptist Church
8-12 Acteens/Angel Tree Camp, Mundo Vista
8-13 World Missions Week
15 7:00 pm-Brotherhood/Baptist Men Leadership Team, Associational Office
19-21 Bi-Vocational Ministers Conference, Caraway
22 10:30 am-Minister's Conference, Associational Office
22 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational Office
29-31 GA Mother/Daughter, Mundo Vista
31-Aug. 2 GA Mother/Daughter, Mundo Vista

AUGUST 2002

2-3 Church Brotherhood Leadership Training, Caraway
6 6:30 pm-Church Clerk's Conference, Associational Office
26 10:30 am-Minister's Conference, Associational Office
26 7:00 pm-Ethnic Ministries Committee, Associational Office

SEPTEMBER 2002

2 Labor Day Holiday (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)
3 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
6-7 Equipping Today's Church (ETC) Conference, Ridgecrest
8-15 Week of Prayer and North Carolina Missions Offering
19 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
19 7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office
23 10:30 am-Minister's Conference, Associational Office
26 7:00 pm-Missions Development Committee, Associational Office

OCTOBER 2002

Cooperative Program Month/Stewardship Emphasis (all of October)
7 2:45 pm & 6:20 pmFall Associational Meeting, Churchland Baptist Church
13 World Hunger Day
14 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
14 7:00 pm-Brotherhood/Baptist Men Leadership Team, Associational Office
17 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
27-30 *"ON MISSION CELEBRATION"*-Association-Wide
28 10:30 am-Minister's Conference, Associational Office

NOVEMBER 2002

3-9 Royal Ambassador Week in the Churches
4 Baptist Women's Day of Prayer
6 10:00 am-Evangelism Committee, Associational Office
10-17 Week of Prayer and Special Offering for Baptist Children's Homes
11-13 NC Southern Baptist Convention Annual Meeting, Winston-Salem
25 10:30 am-Minister's Conference, Associational Office
28-29 Thanksgiving Holiday (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)

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2-9 Week of Prayer for International Missions & Lottie Moon Christmas Offering
4 10:00 am-Evangelism Committee, Associational Office
9 6:30 pm-Minister's Conference Christmas Banquet, Location TBA
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Oak Hill Memorial ..... Gail S. Beck, 361 Light Rd., Thomasville 27360; 336/472-8336
Park Place ..... Glenda Campbell, 157 Kennedy Ave., Apt. F, Thomasville 27360; 336/475-8985
Rich Fork ..... Grace Payne, 905 Alice Dr., Thomasville 27360-5803; 336/475-1574
Smith Grove ..... Martha Swing, 376 Brown Rd., Linwood 27299; 336/752-2808
Southgate ..... Cathy Hill, 12 Kirk Dr., Thomasville 27360-9440; 336/472-0115
Stoner's Grove ..... Pauline Warfford, 9056 NC Hwy 8, Lexington 27292; 336/798-1588
Summerville ..... Linda Spoon, 273 Newsome Ln., Denton 27239; 336/859-3569
Thomasville, First ..... Maurine Perryman, 736-9 Salem St., Thomasville 27360; 336/475-9335
Trinity ..... Mary Waddell, PO Box 97, Welcome 27374-0097; 336/731-6247
Victory ..... Wendy Hughes, 1292 Pilot School Rd., Thomasville 27360; 336/472-5201
Wallburg ..... Sally Boger, PO Box 215, Wallburg 27373-0215; 336/769-1620
Welcome, First ..... Lori Nicholson, 845 Enterprise Rd., Lexington 27295; 336/775-2225

YOUTH/STUDENT MINISTERS

Carolina Memorial ..... Tim Landreth, 110 Poplar Ln., Thomasville 27360-2653; 336/472-3955
Cedar Lodge ..... Sandra Blackburn, 235-A Arthur Dr., Thomasville 27360; 336/476-0803
Center Hill ..... James Holt, 573 Hunt Rd., Lexington 27292; 336/357-2268
Central ..... Tim Pierce, 231 Arnold Farms Ln., Lexington 27295; 336/731-0319
Churchland ..... Ray Howell, IV, 7516 S NC Hwy 150, Lexington 27295; 336/752-2741
Colonial ..... Rick Embler, 305 Liberty Ave., Thomasville 27360-7248; 336/431-9701
Faith ..... Kristi Foster, PO Box 1870, Denton 27239-1870; 336/859-0378
Greenwood ..... Mark Septer, 7612 Timberlake Rd., Apt. 140, Lynchburg VA 27502; 336/918-5409
Hillside Park ..... Billy J. Womack, 3733 Evelyn Dr., Trinity 27370; 336/434-2956
Holloways ..... Russell Reid, 833 Ervin Dr., Lexington 27292; 336/798-4611
Jersey ..... David Crumpler, PO box 994, Linwood 27299-0994; 336/357-0821
Lakeview ..... Randy Holbrook, 240 Rabon Trl., Linwood 27299-8715; 336/853-1374
Lexington, First ..... Tommy Wilson, PO Box 436, Lexington 27293-0436; 336/249-9158
Liberty ..... Bill Salley, 267 Liberty Ave., Thomasville 27360; 336/472-1509
Lick Creek ..... Eddie Lothridge, 23611 S NC Hwy 8, Denton 27239; 336/859-9677
New Friendship ..... Mike & Ashley Brooks, 1584 Shady Grove Ch. Rd., Winston-Salem 27107 336/769-9938
North Lexington ..... Sanford Seay, 1740 South St., Winston-Salem 27127; 336/785-1442
Oak Hill Memorial ..... Bettie Stone, 1165 New Cut Rd., Lexington 27292; 336/472-3534
Park Place ..... Kent Thompson, 1435 Tower Rd., Thomasville 27360; 336/475-9209
Rich Fork ..... Michael Bowers, 908 Stratford Rd., Lexington 27292; 336/238-3912
Smith Grove ..... Chris Noland, 3462 Sowers Rd., Linwood 27299-9352; 336/752-2388
Southgate ..... Brian Butler, 104 Cloniger Dr., Thomasville 27360-5808; 336/475-5499
Southside ..... Tony Watts, 106 Byerly Dr., Thomasville 23760; 336/472-2206
Stoner's Grove ..... Arey Myers, 1321 Hickory Point Dr., Lexington 27292; 336/798-3440
Summerville ..... Todd Varner, 863 Crystal Fay Dr., Denton 27239; 336/859-3076
Thomasville, First ..... Sherrie Hiatt, 6351 Chipper Trl., Thomasville 27360; 336/476-6048
Victory ..... Rick & Sonya Magee, 452 Farmstead Rd., Winston-Salem 27107; 336/764-0116
Wallburg ..... Tina Whitman, 785 Jones Rd., Winston-Salem 27107; 336/788-9512
Welcome, First ..... Michael Sullivan, 179 Canterbury Dr., Winston-Salem 27101; 336/784-5571

STATE CONVENTION AGENCIES LOCATED IN THE ASSOCIATION

Baptist Children's Homes of NC, Inc. ..... Michael C. Blackwell, Pres., Thomasville 27360 336/474-1222
Mills Home ..... Lynn Garner, Director, Thomasville Area Family Services; 336/474-1240

CHURCHES TO ENTERTAIN THE ASSOCIATION

January 14, 2002 - Winter Meeting
Reeds Baptist Church, Lexington

April 8, 2002 - Spring Meeting
New Friendship Baptist Church, Winston-Salem

July 8, 2002 - Summer Meeting
Cedar Lodge Baptist Church, Thomasville

October 7, 2002 - Annual Meeting
Churchland Baptist Church, Lexington

MINISTERS LICENSED DURING THE YEAR

Liberty ..... Drew Rorex, 1612 Denton Rd., Denton NC 27239; 336/859-2919
Southgate ..... Brian Butler, 104 Cloniger Dr., Thomasville 27360-5808; 336/475-5499
Welcome, First ..... Michael Sullivan, PO Box 269, Welcome 27374-0268; 336/731-8434

MINISTERS ORDAINED DURING THE YEAR

Smith Grove ..... Chris Noland, 3462 Sowers Rd., Linwood 27299-9352; 336/752-2388
Welcome, First ..... Michael Sullivan, PO Box 269, Welcome 27374-0268; 336/731-8434

NEW PASTORS AND STAFF MEMBERS IN THE ASSOCIATION

(September 1, 2000 through August 31, 2001)

Abbotts Creek ..... **Mark Hollar, Pastor**
Greenwood ..... **Mark Septer, Youth Minister**
Hillside Park Baptist Church ..... **Donnie Causey, Music Director**
Holloways ..... **Bynum Orr, Interim Pastor**
Lakeview ..... **Leonard Rollins, Interim Pastor**
New Friendship Baptist Church ..... **Mike & Ashley Brooks, Youth Ministers**
North Lexington ..... **Sanford Seay, Youth Minister**
Reeds Baptist Church ..... **Stan Lovell, Music Director**
Smith Grove ..... **Chris Noland, Youth Minister**
Summerville ..... **Todd Varner, Youth Minister**
Thomasville, First ..... **Susan Campbell, Music Director**
Thomasville, First ..... **Sherrie Hiatt, Youth Minister**
Wallburg ..... **Morris Hollifield, Interim Pastor**

HISTORICAL EVENTS

Abbotts Creek: Purchased digital camera for clerk to take pictures of new members. Handicap ramp was built for homebound members. Purchased a Mini bus. 16 members went on construction mission trip to Alaska; six went to West Virginia to teach VBS, three participated in evangelism/teaching mission trip to South Africa, a truck load of supplies were collected and delivered to the flood victims in West Virginia, and members helped with construction and clean-up in eastern North Carolina throughout year. Intentional Interim Pastor, Lee Stocks, left after two years. Called new pastor, Rev. Mark Hollar on June 1. Labor of Love Ministry continues to be open on the first and third Mondays of each month.

Amity: Celebrated 25th year anniversary September 9, 2001.

Carolina Memorial: Hispanic Sunday School started February, 2001. Hispanic Bible School held in June, 2001.

Cedar Lodge: Mission trips were made to East St. Louis and West Virginia. Prayer Intercessory Group began July, 2001. Jeff Douglas was ordained as Deacon September, 2001. Bethlehem Tour scheduled. "Growing Strong" Discipleship and Praise and Worship Team started.

Churchland: New Educational and Administration Building dedicated on September 16, 2001. In June, 2001, the Tony Barbee Scout Building was dedicated.

Coggins Memorial: Church voted to begin a Hispanic Mission.

Colonial: Dedicated new Educational/Fellowship building on February 20, 2001.

Faith: Renovation-new roof on sanctuary and fellowship hall.

Greenwood: Installed 60 new vinyl windows.

Lexington, First: Note-burning and payment of building debt on March 16, 2001.

Mountain View: Paved parking lot and driveway; painted inside of church; new roof on church and fellowship hall; new carpet in Sunday School class rooms; new stained glass windows and light fixtures in sanctuary; and new cross on altar.

New Friendship: Rev. Chris Byrne became the church's pastor on November 1, 2000. Youth group took a missions trip to West Virginia in August, 2001.

Park Place: Renovated Fellowship Hall. Dedication was held March 11, 2001

Smith Grove: Ordained Chris Noland for the ministry. Ordained Doug Everhart, Barry Shipton and Norman Shuping as Deacons. Six Baptist Men went to Alaska on a missions trip.

Southgate: Burned church note at Homecoming service October, 2000. Refurbished church hut for youth activities. Added new office equipment include a new computer system. Replaced and repaired existing air conditioners. Installed security system.

Southside: Church van was sold with proceeds designated for van for senior adults. Windows replaced.

Stoner's Grove: Celebrated 100th Anniversary of church organization in September. Rev. R. N. Hardin, serving as Interim Pastor, retired September 1, 2001, after 54 years in the ministry. Church improvements: new roof, steeple, sanctuary painted and new sound system. Bell housed in new bell tower on grounds.

Summerville: Church created a Minister of Youth position and chose Tod Varner to fill this position. Celebrated 50th Anniversary of WMU.

Welcome, First: Celebrated 90th anniversary of church. Sanctuary renovated-approximate cost of $100,000. Began FAITH training (evangelism, outreach). Michael Sullivan, Minister of Students, licenses to preach in February, ordained to the ministry in May. Mission Involvement: Jon Goodman-summer mission trip to Romania; Joy Turner went to Nicaragua; Carol Ann Yarbrough served another year in East Asia; Amy Jenkins involved in work in Alaska; Eric Mendenhall worked as counselor at Camp Caraway; youth and leaders involved in mission endeavors in Nashville through Missionfuge.

Program

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Welcome, North Carolina

Monday Afternoon, October 1, 2001

2:45 Musical Prelude
3:00 Opening Prayer - Singing of Hymns
3:05 Organization:
1. Constitution of the Body ..... Robert Floyd
2. Welcome and Invocation ..... Mark Blair
3. Adoption of Program ..... Markus Sink
4. Election of Clerk ..... Jack Rose

3:10 Theme Interpretation ..... Stephen Livengood or Chris Byrne
3:20 Recognitions:
New Pastors and Staff ..... Robert Floyd
3:25 Vacation Bible School Report ..... Stuart White
3:30 Treasurer's Report ..... Raleigh York, Jr.
Auditing Committee Report ..... Jerry Gardner
3:40 Resolutions Committee Report ..... Bill Hicks
3:45 Brotherhood/Baptist Men Report ..... William Hanes/John Gore
3:55 Nominating Committee Report ..... Jack Rose
4:00 Hymn
4:05 Miscellaneous Business
Committee on Nominations ..... Charles Tanner
4:10 Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee Report ..... Roy Cantrell
4:15 Prison Ministry Report ..... Michael Lee
4:25 Baptist Children's Homes of NC ..... C. F. McDowell
4:35 Special Music
4:45 Message ..... Steve Jarvis
5:10 Blessing-Adjourn for Evening Meal ..... Lowell Askins

Monday Evening, October 1, 2001

6:20 Opening Prayer - Singing of Hymns
6:25 Constitution & Bylaws ..... Charlotte Cook
6:35 History:
First Baptist Church, Welcome ..... Vernelle Greene
6:40 Place and Preacher Committee ..... Morris Hollifield
6:45 Discipleship Training Report ..... Stuart White
6:50 WMU Report ..... Janet Sharpe
7:00 Davidson Medical Ministries ..... Sandy Motley
7:10 Memorial Service ..... Charles Dickens
7:20 Hymn
7:25 Baptist Retirement Homes of NC ..... Luther Osment
7:35 Missions Development Committee ..... Gary Myers
7:40 Special Music
7:50 Message ..... Milton Hollifield
8:20 Installation of 2001-2002 Officers ..... Mike Ester
8:30 Prayer and Adjourn ..... Michael Collier

Proceedings

One Hundred Sixty-Ninth Annual Session

Liberty Baptist Association

Monday Afternoon, October 1, 2001

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Welcome, North Carolina

The Praise Team from First Baptist Church, Welcome, led by the Music Director, Rev. Keith Brown, presented a musical prelude. *"Jesus: The Light of the World"* is the theme adopted for the 169th Annual Meeting of Liberty Baptist Association, and also the theme for simultaneous revivals to be held October 21-24, 2001, throughout the association.

Dr. Robert Floyd, Moderator, called the 169th Annual Meeting to order. Rev. Mark Blair, pastor of First Baptist Church, Welcome, greeted those present and welcomed them to the newly refurbished sanctuary, which they had just occupied the previous Sunday. Rev. Blair then led in prayer. A motion was made by Rev. Markus Sink, chairman of the Associational Program Committee, to adopt the program as printed. The motion was passed.

Gail Beck, Associational Clerk, made changes to the Book of Reports as follows: The name of Sara Knapp, added to messengers for Jersey Baptist Church; the names of Fallie Mae Carrick and Katy Palmer should be deleted from the messengers for Mountain View Baptist Church; the name of Kay Shell is to be deleted, and the names of Chris Byrne, Shirley Higgs, Tom Higgs and Tom Sale are to be added as messengers for New Friendship Baptist Church.

Rev. Jack Rose, chairman of the 2000-2001 Nominating Committee, expressed appreciation to Gail Beck for the work she does for the association, the churches and individuals. Rev. Rose nominated Mrs. Beck to serve as Associational Clerk for 2001-2002, and the motion passed.

The congregation experienced worship through music by singing "Sunshine In My Soul" and "Shine, Jesus, Shine," led by Rev. Keith Brown, Music Director. The **Theme Interpretation** was presented by Rev. Stephen Livengood, pastor of Greenwood Baptist Church, and a member of the Evangelism Committee. Text of the message was based on Acts 1:8: *"But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you; and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth."*.

The moderator recognized the following individuals as **New Pastors and Staff, 2000-2001:** Rev. Mark Hollar, Pastor, Abbotts Creek Baptist Church; Mr. Donnie Causey, Music Director, Hillside Park Baptist Church; Rev. Bynum Orr, Interim Pastor, Holloways Baptist Church; Rev. Leonard Rollins, Interim Pastor, Lakeview Baptist Church; Mike and Ashley Brooks, Youth Ministers, New Friendship Baptist Church; Mr. Sanford Seay, Youth Minister, North Lexington Baptist Church; Mr. Stan Lovell, Music Director, Reeds Baptist Church; Mr. Chris Noland, Youth Minister, Smith Grove Baptist Church; Mr. Todd Varner, Youth Minister, Summerville Baptist Church; Ms. Susan Campbell, Music Director and Mrs. Sherrie Hiatt, Youth Minister, First Baptist Church, Thomasville; Rev. Morris Hollifield, Interim Pastor, Wallburg Baptist Church; and Rev. Michael Sullivan, Youth Minister, First Baptist Church, Welcome. (Note: Michael Sullivan was listed among the New Pastors and Staff in the 2000 Annual, but not introduced at the meeting.)

The **Vacation Bible School** report was presented by Rev. Stuart White, Associational VBS Director. During the summer 37 associational churches conducted 43 Vacation Bible Schools or Backyard Bible Schools, with 5,047 enrolled and 139 professions of faith. On the SBC level, about one-third of baptisms are a result of decisions being made during VBS. Our records indicate that we have more than one-third on an associational level, and we need to give praise for this accomplishment. Rev. White expressed appreciation to those serving on the VBS Team: David Shaffer, Kathy Cottrell, Janet Sharpe, Mary Agnes Ard, Kathy Blair, Liza Keziah, Darlene Jarvis, Andrea Valero, Patty Spurgeon, Eddie Lothridge, Chris Noland, Sandra Blackburn, Linda Tanner, Tim Landreth and April Coggins. Rev. White said this would be his last year serving as Associational VBS Director, and announced that Tim Landreth will be the director for 2001-2001. The VBS report was approved.

The **Treasurer's Report** was presented by Treasurer, Raleigh York, Jr. Mr. York expressed appreciation to those serving on the Finance Committee: Jim Lawson, Chairman; Jo Ann Roumillat, Assistant

Treasurer; Bertie Benfield, Hugh Motsinger, and Mary Ruth Sheets. The Finance Committee has met with the Auditing Committee to review all records of receipts and expenditures, and agreed upon the information as reported and explained in the Book of Reports. Any request for funds should be made in writing and given to the Treasurer or a member of the Finance Committee for consideration. It is very important that we have expense vouchers with explanations which will provide an accurate accounting of our finances. The Treasurer's Report and financial reports were approved as printed.

Dr. Bill Hicks, Chairman, presented the following report from the **Resolutions Committee:**

BE IT RESOLVED this committee, on behalf of the 42 churches and one Hispanic Mission of Liberty Baptist Association, whose messengers met in the 169th Annual Session, October 1, 2001, offer the following:

WHEREAS our host church, First Baptist Church, Welcome, has graciously provided their beautiful facilities to insure a caring and friendly atmosphere;

AND WHEREAS the Associational Program Committee has provided us with the theme *"Jesus: The Light of the World,"* outstanding speakers, and leaders who have been selected for these sessions of the Annual Meeting;

AND WHEREAS the churches of Liberty Baptist Association have voted to participate in simultaneous revivals October 21-24, 2001, and an On Mission Celebration to take place October 27-30, 2002;

THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, we commend our Moderator, Robert Floyd; Vice Moderator, Lowell Askins; Clerk, Gail Beck; and Treasurer, Raleigh York, Jr. for an outstanding church and associational year of 2000-2001.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we express our appreciation to our Associational Missionary, Rev. Michael R. Ester, for his excellent leadership and guidance during this year;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we express our appreciation to all churches who have participated in partnership missions, disaster relief, and ministries within the United States and other areas of our world. We further express our thankfulness for those individuals and churches who have continued to share with those victims of Hurricane Floyd in eastern North Carolina; and with flood victims in West Virginia;

THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we, the messengers of Liberty Baptist Association hereby:

1. Express our appreciation to each chairperson and committee member for their labor of love in fulfilling their responsibilities, and in so doing they have helped to further the work of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.
2. Express our appreciation to the messengers who attended the 169th Annual Meeting. It is our hope and prayer that they will provide information to their church membership and encourage them to participate in the *"Jesus: The Light of the World!"* revival meetings.

Respectfully submitted, 2000-2001 Resolutions Committee
Bill Hicks, Chairman; Ron Blakley, Doris Lopp

The **Brotherhood/Baptist Men** report was presented by Williams Hanes, Co-Chairman, and was approved as printed.

Rev. Jack Rose, Chairman of the **Nominating Committee** recommended the committees and officers for 2001-2002. The name of Stan Lovell (Reeds Baptist Church), was added as Associational Music Director. The report was approved as presented.

Moderator Robert Floyd exercised privilege of the Chair, and asked for comments about the four quarterly meetings. Comments made were positive. Rev. Keith Brown led the congregation in singing "Revive Us Again" and "There Is A Savior."

Miscellaneous Business: (1) Rev. Charles Tanner, Chairman of the **Committee on Nominations**, was unable to be present. On their behalf, Gail Beck presented the following individuals who will serve on the 2001-2002 Nominating Committee: Judy Yarbrough (Welcome, First), Chairman; Lamar Moore (Center Hill); Jack Rose (Abbotts Creek); Dinah Tonsor (Trinity); and Ava House Turner (Southside).

(2) Dr. Steve Martin, Chairman of the **Personnel Committee**, made a recommendation for Amy Jenkins (Welcome, First) to be the Campus Ministry Coordinator at Davidson County Community College. Because funds are available through Cooperative Agreements from the Baptist State Convention of NC, there will be no cost to the association. The motion passed.

(3) Rev. Charles Dickens, leader of Prayer Support for Baptist Men, Region Five, requested prayer

each Tuesday for the Baptist Men of NC. A lot of work is being done with no recognition given whatsoever, so they have requested this prayer support. At the request of the moderator, Rev. Dickens led in prayer.

(4) Rev. Michael Collier, Chairman of the Evangelism Committee, encouraged all churches to participate in the simultaneous revivals, and if needed, use funds which have been made available from the Baptist State Convention of NC. Several pastors have volunteered to speak and be available to smaller churches of our association at an alternate time.

(5) Rev. Leonard Rollins presented a report from Campbell University. Rev. Rollins serves on the Board of Ministers for Campbell.

(6) Maurine Perryman, who serves on the Ethnic Ministries Committee, called attention to the printed report and emphasized that we need to make special efforts to be acquainted with the ethnic populations in our county and communities.

In the absence of Chairman, Roy Cantrell, Rev. Mark Hollar presented the **Volunteer Missions and Partnership Committee**, which was approved as printed.

Rev. Michael Lee, Chaplain of the Davidson County Correctional Center for Men, reported on the **Prison Ministry.** The name of Davidson Prison Chaplaincy Association has been changed to Davidson Prison Ministry, which is more descriptive of the work. On behalf of the inmates, Rev. Lee expressed appreciation for the Christmas gifts provided by the association. Many times these gifts are the only expressions of love they receive at Christmas. He reported that he is presently teaching Seminary Extension classes in which 10 to 12 inmates have enrolled for 18 weeks of study. Rev. Lee also thanked the association for financial assistance provided through the associational budget and the Baptist State Convention of NC, and stated he is available to speak in churches upon request and he can also arrange for the singing group from the prison to perform.

The **Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina** report was presented by Rev. C. F. McDowell, Director of Church Relations. He was assisted by Gaylin Huff, a member of the Development and Communication Team. The theme for the Thanksgiving Offering for 2001 is "Right Now!"

A program of special music was provided by the Praise Team of First Baptist Church, Welcome, followed by a sermon from Rev. Steve Jarvis, pastor of Colonial Baptist Church. The Scripture passage was Matthew 28:18. Benediction and prayer for the evening meal was given by Rev. Lowell Askins, pastor of Coggins Memorial Baptist Church and 2000-2001 Vice Moderator.

Monday Evening, October 1, 2001
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Welcome, North Carolina

The youth of First Baptist Church, Welcome, presented a drama which depicted how Satan tries to take our souls but is defeated by the power of Jesus Christ.

The moderator called on the Associational Missionary, Rev Mike Ester, for comments. Rev. Ester said his dream for Liberty Baptist Association is that every church be involved in some mission effort next year. It does not necessarily have to be sponsored by the association, but each church needs to be open to the Lord's leading. Help is available from the association to help plan and support any mission efforts. Trips are being planned to Honduras and Alaska and we hope many will participate. New Work is still a dream and the Lord is opening doors and people's hearts. Our Hispanic fellowships are doing well. A campground ministry at High Rock Lake is also a dream and we need someone who will commit to help. West Virginia is a mission field and Rev. Ester said he would volunteer to substitute if the pastor and his wife would be willing to go to West Virginia to minister. Pastors need to see the doors and ministry opportunities which are open for them. Rev. Ester led in prayer for the association, the leadership and the ministries of the coming year.

Rev. Keith Brown led in singing "Faith Is The Victory."

Mrs. Charlotte Cook, Chairman of the **Constitution and Bylaws Committee** reported that on August 27, 2001, all members were mailed copies of the bylaws in their entirety which included changes previously voted upon but not incorporated, as well as other recommendations. Major changes were presented as follows:

1. Amend Article IV, Government, paragraph B by adding at the end thereof two sentences: "In the event of death or resignation of a messenger, the member shall elect a successor messenger to fill the vacancy. The name of the messenger being replaced and the elected successor shall be furnished to the Clerk

of the Association, in writing, and shall be presented at the next regular meeting of the Association."

2. Amend Article VII, Meeting of Members, by changing paragraphs "B, C, D, E, and F" to "C, D, E, F. and G" and inserting a new paragraph B as follows: "**Regular Meetings**: Regular meetings shall be held in January, April, and July to receive reports, to conduct business matters which properly come before the meeting, and to share in worship and fellowship."

3. Amend Article VIII, Executive Board, paragraph B, Membership, by deleting subparagraphs 1 through 5, and substituting therefor the following:

"1. Officers duly elected by the Association, to-wit: Moderator, Vice Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, and Assistant Treasurer."

"2. Standing Committee Chairpersons, Special Standing Committee Chairpersons, and Representatives, Director and Team Leaders as named in Article XIA and XIB.

Comment: Recommended Executive Board would consist of 5 officers and 31 chairpersons, representa tives, etc. as set out and elected by messengers. Duties of this board are revised to coincide with legally required duties and to plan and correlate the work of the Association. Quarterly meetings of the Association will permit members through their messengers to act on matters in a more timely manner and thus eliminate much of the Executive Board duties as now set out.

4. Article VIII, Executive Board

A. Paragraph F, Duties, by deletions and additions, with said paragraph to read as follows: "Except as restricted by the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws or other official action of the Association, the Executive Board shall manage the general business and activities of the Association between meetings of members; and may call special meetings of the Association. The Executive Board shall plan and correlate the activities of the Association and make recommendations to the Association. The Executive Board shall present a written report of action taken to the Association at its next regular or annual meeting for ratification and approval of action so taken between meetings."

B. Paragraph G, Contracts, by adding "As instructed and authorized by the Association' at the beginning of said paragraph.

C. Paragraph H, Loans, by adding 'pursuant to specific authority of the Association' at the end of the first sentence of said paragraph.

D. Paragraph K, by providing for the filling of a vacancy on the Executive Board by the Association.

5. Amend Article X substituting "Associational Missionary" in lieu of Director of Missions" and "Office Manager" in lieu of "Administrative Secretary" throughout this Article.

Comment: Previously voted upon but not incorporated as a bylaw amendment.

6. Amend Article XI, Committees and Councils,

Paragraph A. to set out the present elected Standing Committees and their duties and to delete any obsolete Standing Committees,

Paragraphs B. and C to delete all Standing Councils, and to change "D, E, and F" to "C, D, and E"

Paragraph D. to set out the present elected Special Standing Committees, Auxiliary, Teams and Representatives and their duties and to delete others as indicated.

Comment: Each committee is required to have not less than three persons. Their duties were reviewed and/or recommended by the respective committee which are basically as they have been performed. An addition requested by the Finance Committee is as stated in the last sentence in subparagraph 6 (page 9) which reads as follows: "The Finance Committee shall study all financial matters which may be presented at an Association or Executive Board meeting and report its findings before action is taken."

Some previous councils are now constituted as committees and some previous committees are reduced to a representative, all being in accordance with the election. Charlotte Cook made a motion to adopt the Bylaws as amended in their entirety, including but not limited to, address duties, language, titles, grammatical changes, paragraph necessitated by the amendments heretofore adopted all as set out by a copy attached to and made a part of these minutes. The recommended changes in the Bylaws were approved as presented.

The **History of First Baptist Church, Welcome** was presented by Dewey Snider, a member of the History Committee.

Chairman, Rev. Morris Hollifield, gave the following **Place and Preacher Committee Report:**

(1) Place of Meeting for the Year 2002: Winter Meeting on January 14, 2002, at Reeds Baptist Church; Spring Meeting on April 8, 2002, at Oak Hill Memorial Baptist Church; Summer Meeting on July 8, 2002, at Cedar Lodge Baptist Church; and Annual Meeting on October 7, 2002, at Churchland Baptist Church. (2) Preachers for the Spring and Fall Sessions: Preacher for the Spring Meeting will be Dr. Randy Stewart, pastor of Mills Home Baptist Church and the alternate will be Dr. Vern Peterson, pastor of First Baptist Church, Denton. Preacher for the Annual Meeting will be Rev. Lowell Askins, pastor of Coggins Memorial Baptist Church and the alternate will be Rev. Markus Sink, pastor of Park Place Baptist Church. The motion was approved; however, a question was raised by a member of New Friendship Baptist Church, who stated that four years ago they had made a request to host the meeting in 2002 because they would be celebrating their 175th Anniversary in 2002. It was noted the committee had no knowledge of this request.

The **Discipleship Training** report was presented by Rev. Stuart White who emphasized the importance of discipleship training in the churches. The participation in our association with children through youth and children's Bible Drills is increasing. Two churches participated last year, Welcome First and Carolina Memorial. In a meeting, which was held at Welcome First, seven of the associational churches were represented, with 26 people attending the event. Jesus taught us to go and to reach people, but He also taught us to teach people the truth of His word, so they may in turn reach others for Christ. Any church interested in beginning Bible Drills can contact Rev. Stuart White or Rev. Mark Blair, Discipleship Supporters.

The **Woman's Missionary Union** report was given by Janet Sharpe. The Christmas Prison Gift Ministry had been without a Project Leader, and Gail Yarbrough, WMU Director at Center Hill Baptist Church, has agreed to fill this position. The women of our association have participated in mission trips to eastern North Carolina, West Virginia, East St. Louis, South Africa, Alaska, and many other areas of ministry. This report was approved.

Following a brief meeting with the pastors of New Friendship and Oak Hill churches, Rev. Hollifield amended the motion of the **Place and Preacher Committee** to have New Friendship Baptist Church host the Spring Meeting on April 8, 2002. This motion was seconded and approved. Gail Beck made an apology to New Friendship for the misunderstanding and said as clerk, she felt somewhat responsible for the breakdown in communication. Mrs. Beck made a request that any church wishing to host any meeting of the association make a written request and send it to the her, as Associational Clerk. She will see that the appropriate committees are notified.

Mrs. Sandy Motley, Executive Director of **Davidson Medical Ministries Clinic, Inc.**, reported on the growth and changes of her ministry.

During a **Memorial Service,** Rev. Charles Dickens, Chairman of the Memorials Committee, read the names of those who died during the 2000-2001 associational year. As the names were read, members of the churches stood in honor of the deceased members of their congregations. Rev. Dickens led in a prayer of remembrance for those who have gone to be with the Lord. Rev. Keith Brown led in singing "It Is Well With My Soul" and "We've a Story to Tell," followed by a report from Luther Osment about the **Baptist Retirement Homes of North Carolina.**

The **Missions Development Committee** report was shared by Chairman, Rev. Gary Myers. He encouraged churches to participate in the On Mission Celebration on October 27-30, 2002. New Work is still being considered for the association, and mission trips to Honduras and Alaska are planned in 2002. Rev. Myers requested prayer, not only for the work in our association, but for the leaders of the country, that they may seek God's guidance and leadership.

Special music was provided by the choir of First Baptist Church, Welcome. An evangelistic message was delivered by Rev. Milton Hollifield, Executive Leader of Mission Growth Evangelism for the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina. Scripture was read from I Cor. 1:17-18, 21-24. Rev. Hollifield stated that a video about the tragedies in New York and Washington DC is being distributed to churches and associations. In less than 24 hours, Baptist Men from North Carolina were ministering at the Pentagon in Washington DC. Volunteers are also on site in New York City.

Following the message, the Associational Missionary, Rev. Michael Ester, challenged the officers and leaders for 2001-2002 to be faithful to the duties entrusted to them by member churches of Liberty Baptist Association. Rev. Ester asked that prayers be offered for the leaders and the ministries of the association and led a prayer of dedication and service for the coming year.

Rev. Michael Collier, pastor of Jersey Baptist Church, and Vice Moderator for 2001-2002, requested that those present join hands in a spirit of unity. He emphasized that now, more than ever, Christians need to reach out to the unsaved of Davidson County and our communities. Rev. Collier led in a prayer of thanksgiving and dedication to service in the association. Moderator Robert Floyd adjourned the 169th Annual Meeting of Liberty Baptist Association.

SUMMER QUARTERLY MEETING

Monday Evening - July 9, 2001

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, DENTON NC

Moderator Robert Floyd called the third quarterly meeting of Liberty Baptist Association to order, and introduced Miss Linda Skeen, member of First Baptist Church, Denton. Miss Skeen welcomed those present and led in prayer. Markus Sink, Chairman of the Associational Program Committee, made a motion that the printed program be adopted. The motion passed.

Anita Bunce, Associational Music Director, introduced special music by the choir of First Baptist Church, Denton. The choir was directed by Michael Knight and accompanied on the piano by Carol Hinson, Music Director. Kevin and Debi Scoggins, members of Coggins Memorial Baptist Church, also provided special music.

The **History of First Baptist Church, Denton**, was read by Vernelle Greene, Associational Historian.

Moderator Robert Floyd recognized the following new staff members who have come into the association since the quarterly meeting in April: Abbotts Creek Baptist Church-Rev. Mark Hollar, Pastor; Lakeview Baptist Church-Rev. Leonard Rollins, Interim Pastor; North Lexington Baptist Church-Rev. Sanford Seay, Youth Minister; and Wallburg Baptist Church-Rev. Morris Hollifield, Interim Pastor.

The **Theme Interpretation, *"Partners in the Harvest,"*** was presented by Rev. Michael Collier, pastor of Jersey Baptist Church and Chairman of the Evangelism Committee, and Rev. John Kroh, pastor of Mountain View Baptist Church. They performed a skit about the importance of witnessing to the neighboring church communities prior to the simultaneous revivals scheduled for October 21-24, 2001. They emphasized the materials available through the associational office, which are door hangers and flash lights, and also asked that the associational office be notified when the church has voted to participate. An association-wide high attendance day will be held on October 28th, with an attendance goal of 10,000.

Rev. David Shaffer, Associate Pastor of Coggins Memorial Baptist Church, led in singing of hymns "Victory in Jesus," "When We All Get to Heaven," "Shall We Gather at the River," "Sweet By and By," and "When the Roll is Called Up Yonder." Karen Shaffer, Anita Bunce, and Kevin Scoggin played guitars as accompaniment.

Charlotte Cook, Chairman of the **Constitution and Bylaws Committee**, reported that the Bylaws have been revised and will be reviewed by an attorney. A copy of the revised bylaws will be sent to pastors prior to the Annual Meeting on October 1, 2001. Pastors will need to discuss the changes with the chosen messengers in preparation for the vote at the Annual Meeting.

Jimmy Lawson, Chairman of the **Finance Committee**, presented the proposed **Budget for 2001-2002** to be voted upon in order for it to take effect on September 1, 2001. The motion passed.
In the absence of Raleigh York, Jr., Associational Treasurer, Jimmy Lawson also presented the **Treasurer's Report**. The reported was approved as printed in the program.

Miscellaneous Business: (1) Modertor Robert Floyd announced the following people to serve on the Committee on Nominations: Rev. Charles Tanner (Trinity), Chairman; Willis Maley (Park Place Baptist Church); Evelyn Reece (Cedar Lodge Baptist Church).

(2) Rev. Lamar Moore, Christian Life and Public Affairs Representative, presented the following Resolution pertaining to the Lottery in North Carolina.
Whereas: The lottery attracts the resources of our poorest families who can least afford to invest in such a scheme, and; Whereas: The lottery is contrary to our state work ethic, enticing us to believe we get something for nothing, and; Whereas: The lottery puts our state in the gambling business with its low moral ethics. We, the Liberty Baptist Association, composed of 43 Baptist Churches (41 in Davidson County, one in Forsyth County and one in Randolph County), meeting in quarterly session at the First Baptist Church,

Denton, North Carolina, on July 9, 2001, voted and unanimously agreed to go on record as being opposed to any lottery now being discussed in our state.

(3) Rev. Stuart White, Associational VBS Directory, reported that more people registered for the VBS Clinic this year than ever before - 210 from 23 churches. He emphasized the importance of completing and sending in the VBS report to the associational office. Rev. White also announced a Bible Drill meeting, which will be on August 23, 2001, 7:00 pm, at First Baptist Church, Welcome. Any church interested in involving people in Bible Drills is invited to attend.

The **Nominating Committee** report was presented by committee member, Vernelle Greene. This report was given for information only and will be voted on at the Annual Meeting on October 1, 2001. According to the current bylaws, the term of office shall be one year beginning at the adjournment of the Annual Meeting in which the election is held.

A program of gospel music was presented by a quartet, The Byrds (Jack Byrd, Jerry Byrd, Margaret Byrd, and Doug Powers), members of Coggins Memorial Baptist Church.

Charlotte Cook introduced the speaker for the evening message, Rev. Mike Cummings, President of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and Director of Missions in the Burnt Swamp Baptist Association at Pembroke. Scripture passage was read from Col. 3:23-25.

There being no further business, the Summer Quarterly Meeting was adjourned with a benediction by Rev. Michael Ester, Associational Missionary.

SPRING QUARTERLY MEETING
Monday Afternoon, April 9, 2001
SOUTHGATE BAPTIST CHURCH, THOMASVILLE

Moderator Robert Floyd called the second quarterly meeting of Liberty Baptist Association to order, and introduced Rev. Chuck Garner, Pastor of Southgate Baptist Church. Rev. Garner welcomed those present and led in prayer. Morris Hollifield, member of the Associational Program Committee, made a motion that the printed program be adopted. The motion passed.

Mary Martin, Music Director of Churchland Baptist Church, led in a time of worship through music. She was accompanied on the piano by Anita Bunce, Associational Music Director. The medley of hymns included "Sweet, Sweet Spirit," "Praise Him, Praise Him," and "O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing."

The **Theme Interpretation, *"Partners in the Harvest,"*** was presented by Rev. Layne Wallace, pastor of Center Hill Baptist Church. He emphasized the partnership of the churches and the association; the partnership of individuals within the association and the churches; and the responsibility of these partnerships to share their gifts and spread the Gospel.

The **History of Southgate Baptist Church** was read by Vernelle Greene, Associational Historian. Steve Martin, Chairman of the **Personnel Committee,** made a recommendation to amend the Policy Manual with Job Descriptions for the Associational Missionary, Office Manager and Associational Clerk. The motion passed.

Moderator Robert Floyd recognized the following new staff members who have come into the association since the quarterly meeting in January: Hillside Park Baptist Church-Donnie Causey, Music Director; New Friendship Baptist Church-Mike and Ashley Brooks, Youth Ministers; Reeds Baptist Church-Stan Lovell, Music Director; and First Baptist Church, Thomasville-Sherrie Hiatt, Youth Minister.

The **Treasurer's Report** was presented by Raleigh York, Jr. The church contributions from September 1, 2000 through March 31, 2001, were included in the report. There has been an increase in undesignated receipts of $5,874.24 over the same period of time the previous year. This is an increase of 8.6%. For this same period of time, the total receipts have increased $15,594.05, or 18.3%. Last fall in the annual meeting we voted to purchase the van for Christian Activity Center in East St. Louis. The initial cost of this van was $18,260.00, delivery cost was $269.89, the lettering was $371.00, resulting in a total cost of $18,900.89. This money was taken from undesignated funds. A new item in the Budget was for New Work, account #5122. Ten percent of undesignated funds, $7,401.78, has been transferred to account #15 in Designated Funds, making a total for New Work of $19.401.78. The Building Fund (designated account #36), which was begun last year has increased by $6,337.40, making a total of $16,053.92. The Treasurer's report was approved as printed in the program.

Bonnie Laney, Executive Director of **Alpha Pregnancy Support**, gave a report of the work of her organization. During the first quarter of 2001, 121 clients were seen, 20 babies were born, and 17 people made decisions for Christ. During 2000, 444 clients were seen (362 returning), 72 babies were born, 52 made decision for Christ, 129 people participated in Bible Study, 66 Bibles were distributed, 78 teenagers made decisions to abstain from pre-martial sex, and 16 sessions were conducted for post-abortion counseling. The budget for Alpha Pregnancy is small, $3,600, and the organization relies heavily on donations from churches and friends, and various fund raisers. There is a specific need for cribs and for Bibles to be given to new converts. Mrs. Laney expressed appreciation for the support given by Liberty Baptist Association and the churches.

The **Evangelism Committee** report was presented by Chairman, Michael Collier. *"Jesus: The Light of the World"* simultaneous revivals are scheduled for October 21-24, 2001. The church congregations need to vote to participate in these revivals and notify the associational office of your choice. Money has been received from BSCNC to assist with expenses. On October 28, 2001, we will emphasize High Attendance Day. We currently average between 5,500 and 7,000 in our 42 churches on Sunday morning. Our goal is to have 10,000 on High Attendance Day. We need to canvas our communities within a three mile radius and let them know about Jesus. The association has flashlights available for $ .50 each and one is available to take back to show to your members. Labels have been printed to put on the flashlights. Door hangers are also available through the association. Southern Baptists all believe in the Great Commission and we need to put it into action through visiting, prayer walks through a community and telling everyone we meet about our revivals.

A recommendation from the **Nominating Committee** was presented by committee member, Vernelle Greene. Chris Byrne, pastor of New Friendship Baptist Church, was recommended to replace Chris Hawks on the Evangelism Committee; Charles Dickens (Coggins Memorial) was recommended to serve as parliamentarian for the association. The motion passed.

Mary Martin led in singing "There is a Fountain," "Crown Him with Many Crowns," and "My Jesus, I Love Thee."

Miscellaneous Business: (1) Rev. Terrell Moore, DOM from Cambridge Ohio brought greetings from the 150,000 Ohio Baptists. He brought gifts of the "buckeye" and asked for prayers for the association which covers 12 counties with 30 churches.

(2) Associational Treasurer, Raleigh York, Jr., made a motion on behalf of the Finance Committee, to send the $2,996.33 designated account #06 for Brotherhood Handyman, to complete work on a house in Grifton. John Gore said this was the home which was shown in a video at the last meeting. The husband in this family has had a stroke, they have not received money other than donations, and this money will allow the completion of their home. The wife just recently made a profession of faith. The motion passed. (3) Charles Tanner, President of the Minister's Conference, made an appeal for pastors to attend a seminar on Conflict Resolution on April 23, 2001, 9:00 to 12:00 Noon, at Carolina Memorial Baptist Church. Chris Gambel will conduct the seminar. A reservation needs to be made with the associational office because lunch will be served. A book will also be available for $5.00. Rev. Tanner also encouraged pastors to attend the pastor's conference on the fourth Monday of each month. There is a program for each meeting and the fellowship is outstanding.

Since the program was ahead of schedule, the **Associational Missionary** report was presented by Michael Ester. According to the latest census figures available, there are presently 147,248 people in Davidson County. Of these, nearly 4,765 are Hispanic, the fastest growing population in our county. We now have two Hispanic missions: one which meets at Carolina Memorial and one at North Lexington. There is also a Cambodian mission at North Lexington. The Hispanic population of Randolph County and Yadkin County is already larger than their African-American populations. In the near future, we hope to have another Hispanic church. The list of other ethnic groups is growing: Cambodian, Hebrew, Hindu, Jamaican, Russian, Serbian, Spanish, Chinese, French, German, Laotian, and the list goes on and on. At the beginning of this school year, the classroom was made up of Asian-6%; Black-45%; Hispanic-15%; White-31%. They are here! The mission field of the world has come to us and we must witness to this population as "Partners in the Harvest." All of these people are precious in the sight of the Lord. If your church feels you are not doing much, you may be doing more than you think. Through the association and your donations, you are providing Bibles at the Seaman's Center in Morehead City; money for New Work, hopefully starting in the

fall; money for the house in Grifton which we just voted on; flashlights for use in the revivals; and the van for the Christian Activity Center. The churches provide money for salaries for the Associational Missionary and staff, for which we are grateful. In 2002, associational mission trips are being planned for Honduras and Alaska and we are encouraging people to participate. If your church has a need for assistance in mission trips, VBS, Backyard Bible Clubs, revival expense or other mission projects, just contact the associational office and we will provide assistance."

Paul Mullen, Director of Church and Community Relations, presented a report from the **North Carolina Baptist Hospitals, Inc.**, and expressed appreciation for the support of Baptists through benevolent donations. Many people's needs are met through the Mother's Day Offerings.

Special Music was presented by Mary Martin. Dr. Steve Martin, pastor of Churchland Baptist Church gave a message on the expectations and the realities of the Christian life. Text was taken from Luke 7:9ff

The afternoon session was adjourned with prayer and blessing for the evening meal by Thurman Fritts, member of North Lexington Baptist Church.

Monday Evening - April 9, 2001
SOUTHGATE BAPTIST CHURCH, THOMASVILLE

Moderator Robert Floyd called the meeting to order and led in prayer. Rodney Douglas, Minister of Music at Park Place Baptist Church, led in singing hymns "Have Faith in God," "The Solid Rock" and "Because He Lives."

Russell Brownworth, pastor of Cedar Lodge Baptist Church, gave the **Theme Interpretation** using scripture from I Cor. 3:23. Stuart White, Associational VBS Director, reported on **Vacation Bible School.** All churches are encouraged to have a Vacation Bible School and to report the attendance regardless of the materials used. Rev. White requested prayer for the VBS Team. They have been requested by Pilot Mountain Baptist Association to provide VBS training.

Miscellaneous Business: (1) Betty Bradshaw, a member of the Ethnic Ministries Committee, announced that the Medical/Dental Bus will be available on May 12, 2001, for the Hispanic Mission Fair. This will be held at Carolina Memorial Baptist Church and will include a continuous showing of the *Jesus* film in Spanish, face painting, and hot dogs will be served. Donations are requested to assist with this ministry. (2) Tino Yanez, the pastor for Mision Bautista Hispana, was introduced by Stuart White. (3) Gail Beck, Associational Clerk, announced that after the dinner hour, there where 147 registered for the meeting.

The **Missions Development Committee** report was presented by Gary Myers, Chairman. "For the past several months we have been talking about starting a church; however, at a meeting scheduled to discuss this possibility, only one person showed up. There are a lot of people we are not reaching that a new mission church may be able to reach. For many years I have had the expectation, the prayers and the hope of seeing a new mission work begin in our association, based on need, not on church splits or divisions. Based on need of people wanting to know the Lord Jesus Christ, looking in areas where there are potentially thousands of people without a church. We have determined that there is a need in our association for new work. Perhaps there is a church to be a mother church, or join with another church to be sponsors. Would our churches agree to "rent" a couple to the association for one year to help start a church? This is the most exciting work for the Lord that can be done! Please make this an object of prayer, individually and in your churches. We have already committed 10% of our undesignated offerings toward new work; the Baptist State Convention has committed money for new work; but we have got to sense and make personal commitments. Will you think about it? Will you pray about it? Will you let someone know on our committee, or in the associational office if you are interested? Please pray about it." After a question concerning the areas, Rev. Myers explained that several areas have been investigated. One is in the Friedburg area of northern Davidson County, and another in the Midway area near the old Winn-Dixie building. An objection was voiced that there are already churches in these areas and we should make an effort to fill the existing churches rather than start a new church. Rev. Myers said it has been proven that a new church will attract people more than an older, established church. Michael Collier said younger couples will be more likely to come to a new church with a contemporary style of worship. Charles Tanner, pastor of Trinity Baptist Church, located in the same area, said they had participated in Faith training and have seen 26 people come to know Christ. However, in their visitation they have discovered that younger people are more attracted to a new church and a more contemporary form of worship. Russell Brownworth, pastor of Cedar Lodge Baptist Church, said he does not feel we are in competition with each other and if a

contemporary form of worship will bring people in, we should all support it. The report from the Missions Development Committee was approved.

Discipleship Supporter, Mark Blair, presented the **Discipleship Training** report. "One area of Discipleship Training is Bible Drills. Welcome First and Carolina Memorial have been the only two churches participating in Bible Drills, but now Jersey and Trinity are becoming involved. Next year they will also take part in the Children's Bible Drills on an associational level. Bible Drills is a memory program and has been around for many years in Southern Baptist Churches. Children's Bible Drills are for grades 4-6; Youth is grades 7-9; and grades 10-12 have Speakers Tournaments. The children must first have a church drill, memorize 25 Bible verses, find a book of the Bible within ten seconds, and memorize key passages in four separate drills. From the church level, they progress to the associational level, and then on to a state drill. If any of the churches have questions about any part of Discipleship Training or need help in starting the Bible Drills program, contact me or Stuart White." This report was approved as presented and printed.

The **Brotherhood/Baptist Men's Leadership Team** was presented by John Gore, Co-Director. "It has been said many times that if we furnish the tools, God will supply work for us to do. Many opportunities are provided for mission trips: Africa, El Salvador, Honduras, Alaska, West Virginia, East St. Louis...the list goes on and on. On April 27-28, training will be provided at Caraway for Disaster Relief and we would like for as many to go as possible. Work is continuing in eastern North Carolina. The associational group goes the 2nd and 4th week of each month and anyone who is able is welcome to go. If anyone is interested in receiving a blessing and you have not been to work in eastern North Carolina, let me or William Hanes know, or call the associational office, and we will make the arrangements for you. Many people have come to know Christ through these efforts." The report was approved.

The Associational Missionary, Michael Ester, said after hearing Michael Collier emphasize the simultaneous revivals on October 21-24, 2001, he was looking at the total population figure of 147,248 in Davidson County. The goal for High Attendance Day on October 28th is 10,000, which is not even 10% of the population. We should be able to do this. The association will assist in any way possible so set goals and make plans to participate.

Rodney Douglas led in sing hymns "Heavenly Sunlight," "He Keeps Me Singing" and "Victory in Jesus."

The **Woman's Missionary Union** report was given by Judy Yarbrough, the Associational WMU Director. A skit was presented based on the program, "Who Wants to be a Millionaire." Gail Beck, Janet Sharpe and Joyce Myers participated. Various facts were given which pertain to areas of WMU. This report was approved.

The **Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee** report was given by John Gore. "In a joint meeting of the Missions Development Committee and the Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, on April 5th, plans were made for association mission trips to Honduras on April 11-20, 2002, and to Alaska July 11-20, 2002. These are tentative dates and may need to be changed, but we will notify the Brotherhood Department of the Baptist State Convention of our chosen dates. There are three members of Greenwood Baptist Church going to the Ukraine on May 8. There will be a total of 60 people, six per team, and our goal is to give out 1,000 Bibles each. We have been told that we will be in two or three villages where the Gospel has never been shared. It excites me and humbles me that I may be able to share the Gospel with someone who has never heard it. Please be in prayer for this team." The report was accepted as presented.

Gail Beck, Associational Clerk, announced that a Conversational Spanish class is being planned which will be taught at the associational office. Anyone interested needs to sign up for this so we can determine the number and contact an instructor.

Special Music was presented by the Adult and Youth Choirs and musical accompanists from Park Place Baptist Church, led by Music Director, Rodney Douglas.

The evening message was given by Dr. J. C. Bradley, Associational Missionary from the Central Triad Baptist Association, and he brought greetings from 33 churches and four missions. Scripture was taken from the book of Phillipians, which is a letter of partnership and joy.

There being no further business, the Spring Quarterly Meeting was adjourned with a benediction by Rev. Leonard Rollins.

WINTER QUARTERLY MEETING
Monday Evening - January 15, 2001
COGGINS MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH, LEXINGTON

Moderator Robert Floyd called the first winter quarterly meeting of Liberty Baptist Association to order, and introduced Rev. Lowell Askins, Pastor of Coggins Memorial Baptist Church. Rev. Askins welcomed those present and led in prayer. Markus Sink, Chairman of the Associational Program Committee, made a motion that the printed program be adopted. The motion passed.

Associational Music Director, Anita Bunce, led in a time of musical worship. The Central Davidson Wind Ensemble, along with associational instrumentalists, and the adult choir of Coggins Memorial sang "Midnight Cry" and "Daily Grace." The congregation joined in singing "Amazing Grace" and "How Firm a Foundation." This was a very meaningful time of worship through music.

In the absence of the Associational Historian, Vernelle Greene, the history of Coggins Memorial Baptist Church was presented by Lionel Wall, Church Clerk.

Moderator Robert Floyd recognized the following new pastors and staff members who have come to the association since the meeting in October: Greenwood Baptist Church-Mark Septer, Youth Minister; New Friendship Baptist Church-Chris Byrne, Pastor; Smith Grove Baptist Church-Chris Noland, Youth Minister; Southgate Baptist Church-Brian Butler, Minister of Education and Youth; First Baptist Church, Welcome-Michael Sullivan, Minister of Students.

The **Theme Interpretation,** ***"Partners in the Harvest,"*** was presented by members of the Evangelism Committee, Rev. John Kroh, pastor of Mountain View Baptist Church, and Rev Michael Collier, pastor of Jersey Baptist Church and Chairman of the Evangelism Committee. Simultaneous revivals are planned for October 21-24, 2001, and with this in mind, a skit was performed in which "John" witnessed to, and led "Mike" to the Lord.

Anita Bunce led in singing of hymn "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing." Gail Beck read the following report from Charlotte Cook, Chairman of the **Constitution and Bylaws Committee,** who was unable to be present: "The Constitution and Bylaws Committee is at work. It is a slow process! As ideas and recommendations are assimilated, we welcome any input you might wish to offer the committee. Action previously taken by the association will be included in the presentation. Be assured you will have considerable time to study and evaluate any committee recommendation before a vote is taken." In addition to Charlotte Cook as Chairman, Judy Wood and Michael Rinehardt are members of this committee.

Treasurer's Report: Raleigh York, Jr., Associational Treasurer, was unable to attend the meeting. The Moderator made a motion that the Treasurer's Report be accepted as printed in the program, and the motion passed.

Miscellaneous Business: (1) Rev. R. N. Hardin, Chairman of the **Committee on Nominations,** said the resignation of Rev. Chris Hawks, former pastor of Lakeview Baptist Church, called for a replacement on the 2000-2001 Nominating Committee. He presented the name of Miss Doris Lopp, member of Liberty Baptist Church, to serve the remainder of the year on the Nominating Committee. The motion was passed.

(2) Mr. Jim Lawson, Chairman of the **Finance Committee** and the **Storage Building Committee** gave a report. On April 17, 2000, the Executive Committee voted to erect a storage building at the site of the associational office on Bud Kanoy Road. At that time the State Missions money in the amount of $3,875 for 1999 and $5,341.52 for 2000, was transferred into a Building Fund for this purpose. An additional donation of $500 was received, making the total amount in the Building Fund $9,716.52. Mr. Lawson made a motion that money received from the North Carolina State Offering for 2001, non-designated and non-restricted funds, also be applied to this Building Fund. The motion passed.

Moderator Robert Floyd made a request to Rev. Jack Rose, Chairman of the Nominating Committee, that a Parliamentarian be selected to serve the association.

John Gore, Co-Chairman of the **Brotherhood/Baptist Men Leadership Team,** reported on the flood relief projects in the Grifton area of eastern North Carolina. "As of January 13, 2001, there are 230 homes that have been rebuilt and people are able to live in these homes. There are 191 homes that are still in the rebuilding stage and 20 are near completion. The average cost of rebuilding a home is $15,000. The average volunteer hours have been between 10 and 15 thousand hours per month. There is a home being rebuilt for John and Mary Talley, and help is needed to complete the process. John Talley has had three strokes and can only walk with assistance. Because of damage from the strokes, his speech is impaired. His wife Mary

must be with him all the time. They are presently living with his brother, who had a leg amputated recently. The place where they are living now is really not fit for them to live in, but they have no other place or choice. (Pictures were shown of the mobile home where they will live.) $5,000 is needed to complete the home for John and Mary Talley. Any financial assistance will be appreciated."

Rev. Mike Ester, Associational Missionary, presented a plaque of appreciation to Rev. Markus Sink, who served the previous two years as Moderator. The inscription read: *"The churches of Liberty Baptist Association express their sincere appreciation to Rev. Markus Sink in recognition of his faithful, effective service for the years 1998-1999."*

The **Evangelism Committee** report was presented by Rev. John Kroh. The Evangelism Committee would like to remind all churches of Liberty Baptist Association that they need to vote to participate in the planned, simultaneous *Jesus: Light of the World"* revivals coming October 21-24, 2001. Once the church has voted to participate, contact the associational office to let them know. Copies are available to each church of a list of ordained ministers throughout the state. This will provide information for speakers who may be available in the fall. During the summer, or several weeks prior to revival, each church should canvas the neighborhood surrounding the church. If possible, prepare a brochure giving information about the revival and your church. The association has purchased 1,000 flashlights at $ .99 each and will sell them to the churches for $ .50 each. A label has been printed to place on the flashlight. The flashlights will be used as a witness tool to emphasize the theme, *Jesus! Light of the World."* If you want to obtain demographic information for a 3-5 mile radius of the church, the association will be able to give assistance. The objective is to reach out, as associational churches, to the lost in our areas. Plans are being discussed about having a fishing tournament at High Rock Lake in the Spring of 2002.

Rev. Gary Myers, Chairman, presented the **Missions Development Committee Report.** In the last Annual meeting, held at Abbotts Creek Baptist Church, the body voted to purchase a van for the Christian Activity Center in East St. Louis. A dark green 2000 Dodge van was purchased with the help of M & L Motors in Lexington at a cost of $17,320.89. Since the time of the annual meeting, contributions were received in the amount of $9,124.00, leaving a shortfall of $6,996.89. We are indebted to Rev. Lowell Askins and Lionel Wall for delivering the van to Chet Cantrell in East St. Louis. A video was shown of Gene Fritts and John Cole, M & L Motors, signing the papers for the van; and of Gary Myers and Michael Ester as they delivered the van to the Craven Sign Company for lettering. In addition to the name, the following was also lettered on the rear windows: *"With love in Christ, your friends, Liberty Baptist Association, Thomasville, North Carolina."* Pictures were included of the children at the Christian Activity Center, who had prepared a banner expressing appreciation, and also of the title and keys being presented to Chet Cantrell. Rev. Lowell Askins said it was a joyous experience hearing and seeing the excitement of the children when they drove up with the van. He also encouraged church groups to make a visit to the Christian Activity Center if possible to see the work they are doing with the children.

The Missions Development Committee received a request from Mision Bautista Hispana de Thomasville for membership in the Liberty Baptist Association. Carolina Memorial and Rich Fork Baptist Churches jointly sponsor this mission, which began June 25, 2000, and meets weekly at Carolina Memorial Baptist Church. The Hispanic Committee unanimously agreed to request membership, the covenant agreement has been adopted, and the mission has agreed to begin supporting Liberty Baptist Association by contributing 3% of the undesignated offerings. They will also support the Baptist State Convention of NC by contributing 7% of undesignated offerings. They feel they can best support the Lord Jesus Christ by becoming a member of the association. The request was signed by the mission pastor, Tino Yanez; Byron Barker, pastor of Rich Fork Baptist Church; and Stuart White, pastor of Carolina Memorial Baptist Church. The Missions Development Committee, which reviewed the Covenant Agreement at the meeting on January 11, 2001, endorses this mission 100% and unanimously recommends the acceptance of the mission under watchcare. This motion passed unanimously.

The Missions Development Committee made recommendation to request funds through Cooperative Agreements from the Baptist State Convention of NC. Copies of requests are attached. The recommendation was approved.

Gary Myers reported that the Missions Development Committee has been discussing the possibility of beginning a New Work in northern Davidson County. We want all churches to be involved and we are requesting a form to be completed if anyone is interested in participating in the birthing of this new work.

We would like to have a minimum of one individual from each church. Forms are to be completed and turned in at the end of the meeting or mailed to the associational office. All churches will be contacted and asked to have representation for a New Work committee.

A question was asked about the location and type church. Gary Myers responded that the northern area of Davidson County has been targeted because of the growth of population in that area. There is an area of several miles close to several housing developments where churches are inadequate. The Friedburg School, Hickory Tree and Highway 52, and the Ledford School areas are possibilities. The possibility of a contemporary church, possibly meeting in a school facility, has been discussed. The report on New Work was approved as presented.

Special Music was presented by a quartet, The Byrds (Jack Byrd, Jerry Byrd, Margaret Byrd, Doug Myers), are members of Coggins Memorial Baptist Church. They presented a program of gospel music.

Rev. Michael R. Ester, Associational Missionary, gave the evening message using a scripture passage from Rev. 3:7. He emphasized in the message the opportunities available to Liberty Baptist Association, and to individuals. God has opened many doors for ministry. Statistics say that during the period of 1990 to 1999, the population in North Carolina grew from 6.6 million to 7.6 million people, but the church resident membership grew by only 10,000. We baptized 261,000 during that period, but we did not retain those who were baptized. We need to devise ways to keep these members. Either they are not being accepted into the fellowship of the churches or we are not caring enough. With the revivals coming in October, we have the opportunity to reach out and win souls to Christ.

Imagine what could be done if the members in our churches would seek and follow the leadership of the Holy Spirit.

There being no further business, the Winter Quarterly meeting was adjourned with a benediction by Rev. Jacob Sharpe.

HISTORY OF HOST CHURCHES

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, WELCOME

First Baptist Church of Welcome, North Carolina, owes its beginnings largely to the efforts of Mrs. Lizzie Fritts Everhart. She helped start worship services at the old Thomas School on what is now Thomas Road between Midway and Welcome. The people met for approximately a year before deciding to build a church. Lizzie Everhart died before the decision was made for the permanent location. They decided to build in Welcome. The worship services were then moved to the old Welcome School on Welcome-Arcadia Road. In October, 1911, Welcome Baptist Church was constituted with twelve charter members. That same month Reverend O. A. Keller of Wallburg was called to serve as the first pastor.

The twelve charter members were Guilford Beeker, Vogen Brinkley, Mr. and Mrs. John Franklin Crotts (Essie Craver), Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sylvester Haynes (Lula Alice Byrd), Mr. & Mrs. K. Z. Hill, Gurvis Cleveland Hinkle, Mr. & Mrs. Emanuel Jackson Zimmerman (Lula Beatrice Craver), and Emory Zimmerman.

On January 7, 1912, the land selected on which to build the church was donated by Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Jackson Zimmerman. It was located 300-400 feet west of Highway 52 on Welcome-Arcadia Road. The church was built in 1912.

In 1986, First Baptist Church of Welcome was known as a loving, caring church. The celebration of seventy-five years as a witness for Jesus in the community gave an occasion for thankfulness. We are thankful that God used others to establish a church, that He let each of us be a part of His wonderful body of believers who meet regularly in a lovely building on Welcome-Arcadia Road in the growing community of Welcome.

Continuing with the attitude of outreach into our community, in January 1987, our church opened its doors offering our facility as a county-sponsored Nutrition Site for senior adults. In March of the same year, there was discussion as to the possibility of beginning a daycare center at First Baptist Church, Welcome. The daycare would accommodate 30-35 children, ages three months to five years, with a staff of seven, and a proposed operating budget of $6,145. The vote in April 1987 passed, establishing Welcome Christian Daycare as a ministry of FBC, Welcome. An after-school program was added in the fall of 1987. Today the center has an enrollment of 85 children with 15 in the preschool program; a staff of 20 and operating expenses of approximately $22,000 a month. The daycare continues to minister to the community by caring for needs of children six weeks old through 12 years. The Baptist Men became involved in a

project in June 1987 to help support Cornerstone Baptist Church, a new church near High Point. Handbells were added to the music ministry in July 1987. Church bonds were paid off in July and in August the building was paid for.

In other events, the church, in September 1987, voted to change the ministry title of Director of Youth, Music, and Education Ministries to Associate Pastor, Music/Education; the church would call a full-time Minister of Youth, Children and Singles with these responsibility changes, and the position of Youth and Children's Worker and Summer Youth Worker would be eliminated.

Additional parking was added in March 1988, at a cost of $11,500, giving 58 additional parking spaces. With continued growth, a building committee was established in April 1988, to look into building needs. Those elected to serve on the committee were Chairman Bill Donald, Bill Darnell, Frank Brown, Jim Smith, and Keith Mendenhall. In September 1989, Bill Donald presented a Master Plan for Growth for First Baptist Church. The church voted to proceed with Phase I of the building project. In March 1990, the church contracted with Ediface, Inc., of Charlotte, to manage the construction of an Education/Fellowship Building, Administrative Building, and youth activity area, totaling 19,142 square feet at a cost of $964,607. In May a groundbreaking ceremony was held for the addition of the new facility. The staff moved into the new offices in October 1990. The congregation enjoyed their first Sunday in the addition January 13, 1991, and a Building Dedication was held in February.

Ministry and outreach has always been one of the main goals of the church. Another ministry opportunity presented itself in July 1992. The church began a deaf ministry led by Jane McCann. The ministry has grown through the years and continues to be a source of outreach with the guidance of Jane McCann.

Youth and leaders participated in a missions work camp in Grantsville, West Virginia, July 1994. Christina Yarbrough, Carol Ann Yarbrough, Wendy Barney, Erica Peedin, Charley Wimmer, Jeff Hill, Scott Thomas, along with leaders Jason Chenoweth, Judy Wimmer, and Rebecca Peedin, reached out to these people through work projects in their community. In this same month, Acteens Carol Ann Yarbrough, Christina Yarbrough, July Buchanan, Candy Gainey, Amanda Love, and leaders Judy Yarbrough, Mildred Love, and Deborah Martz, along with others from Liberty Association, traveled to Birmingham, Alabama, for the National Acteens Convention.

The youth, along with Youth Pastor, Bill Hartley, worked with inner city children at the Christian Activity Center in East St. Louis, Illinois, in July, 1998.

Judy Yarbrough and Carol Ann Yarbrough answered a call to go to Grenada and serve as teachers in VBHS in 1996. Amber Bryant and Nishelle Caudill worked with children in Grenada during VBS in 1997.

In June 1999, realizing that pastors and staff prefer buying their own homes rather than living in a parsonage, the church voted to sell the parsonage. Purchase price for the home was $110,000. In October 1999, work was begun on church incorporation. In February 2000, the incorporation resolution passed and in August, 2000, word was received that the church was incorporated. To meet the needs of the many activities our youth, children, senior adults, and daycare were involved in, a 1999 Ford van was purchased in May of 2000.

Missions is a vital part of ministry at FBC. The year 2000 saw a tremendous outpouring by people in the church to involve themselves in mission projects. Carol Ann Yarbrough served through Campus Crusade for Christ in East Asia; Lindy Flowers spent eight weeks in Santa Cruz, California; Joy Turner worked in Honduras; Martha Dawson served in Australia, New Guinea; twenty-six youth and leaders spent a week in Philadelphia at Missionfuge camp; Amy Jenkins and Joy Turner served as counselors at Mundo Vista; and many of our Baptist Men volunteered their time to assist the flood victims in eastern North Carolina.

Mission service in 2001 was equally impressive. Jon Goodman spent the summer working in Romania; Joy Turner went to Nicaragua on spring break; Carol Ann Yarbrough served another year in East Asia; Any Jenkins was involved in work in Alaska; Eric Mendenhall was led to work as counselor at Camp Caraway; and our youth were again involved in mission endeavors in Nashville through Missionfuge. The Lord continued to bless our church with people who are open to serving Him wherever He calls.

In February 2001, Michael Sullivan, Minister of Students, was granted a license to preach by First Baptist Church, and was ordained into the ministry the following May.

Still today the church has many ministry opportunities in which to be involved. The music ministry,

under the leadership of Keith Brown, includes preschool, children, and adult choirs, as well as ensembles and handbells. There are many opportunities for children to grow through annual Vacation Bible School, Team Kids, and mission groups beginning with Mission Friends through GAs, Ras, and Acteens. Other mission groups, which include Women on Mission and Baptist Men, meet on a regular basis to study and pray for missions and to be involved in projects

The church is thankful for a strong youth program that encourages young people to, first of all grow in their walk with the Lord, and then reach out to the youth in the community showing them the love of our Savior. FAITH Training, one of the greatest evangelistic tools in SBC churches today, is a sixteen week class led by Pastor Mark Blair. Those who participate in these classes learn to better share their faith and reach prospects for Sunday School.

Membership has continued to increase over the years, growing from 720 in the late '80s to 848 in the year 2000. God has blessed with many coming to know Jesus as Lord and Savior and being obedient to Him through baptism. Our VBS has always been received with much enthusiasm and maintained high attendance, with the best ever in 2000, having a total enrollment of 343 (including a daycare VBS).

After worshiping in the sanctuary since 1976, it became apparent it was time for a facelift! In May 2001, the church voted to renovate the sanctuary for an approximate cost of $100,000. The renovation includes enlarging the platform, adding choir chairs, and raising the organ/piano, painting, new lighting, new pews and carpet. First Baptist Church, Welcome, is thankful and feels blessed that through this latest project we can continue reaching out to the community and inviting those around us into a beautiful worship center where we can praise God and bring glory and honor to our wonderful Lord!

First Baptist Church of Welcome looks to the years ahead with great enthusiasm. We recognize the awesome potential of our church, being ideally located in the fast-growing North Davidson area. The challenge before us is truly great, but as we continue to trust in the Lord with all our heart, the responsibilities can be met.

The heritage of First Baptist Church inspires us all, as God has watched over this church and poured forth His blessings upon this congregation for ninety years. In 2001, as we move toward the centennial of the church's founding, let us commit ourselves to zealously serve the Lord, making this next decade the greatest years in the church's history!

"The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all." 2 Corinthians 13:14.

Mark Blair, Pastor

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, DENTON

First Baptist Church, Denton, was organized August 30, 1891, as Denton Baptist Church and affiliated with the Liberty Baptist Association. It was not only the first Baptist church in Denton, it was, in fact, the first church in Denton. Liberty Baptist Association last met with us in annual session in October 1991; this history is an update from that point.

Improvements to the physical facilities over the past decade include the installation of a new steeple in March 1994, to replace the old, leaky one. The new steeple was dedicated in honor of Mr. Donald Morris who had served the church as its treasurer for nearly 30 years. The new steeple still houses the bell purchased in 1896.

In 1995, the Child Learning Center Board of Directors began exploring the expansion of the facilities for the daycare center. Through a combination of funds from the state Smart Start Program, community support, fund-raisers, and contributions from church members, two new classrooms for the three-and four-year olds, a commercial-grade kitchen, and a multi-purpose room were constructed behind the sanctuary building. This building was completed in 1997 and named the Herbert M. Baker Building in memory of the pastor whose foresight in 1967 lead to the establishment of a church-run daycare center for children of working mothers.

In early 1998, the ladies' Golden Circle Sunday School Class provided the impetus for one of the renovation projects when it began to make plans for the remodeling of the church fellowship hall. Improvements made as a result of this project included new thermal pane windows and window treatments, new paint, light fixtures, appliances in the kitchen, counter tops, and refinishing the kitchen cabinets. Open house for the completed project was hosted by the Golden Circle Class on January 16, 1999. After the completion of the fellowship hall, the church continued remodeling with a long range project for

some much needed updates in the parsonage including new light fixtures, new paint, new carpet, new thermal pane windows, and remodeling the kitchen. New thermal pane windows have also been installed in the rest of the church educational building. There remains a long list of improvements yet to be made at both the church and the parsonage as funds become available.

The church purchased a Samick grand piano in July 1998, which has greatly added to the enjoyment of the music in worship services. The installation of a new sound system in the sanctuary in February of this year has greatly enhanced the audio qualities of the music and the spoken word in the sanctuary. The piano is now wired to the sound system, and monitors enable the choir to better hear the instruments. Multiple microphone outlets and hand-held mikes allow for greater versatility in any kind of presentations in the sanctuary.

Other less visible changes have been taking place at First Baptist, as well. In 1997, the church changed its form of governance when it voted to adopt articles of incorporation and new by-laws. A new committee structure was put in place, and committees were given more power and responsibility.
With less time being required of the deacons in the way of direction and decision-making, they have recently adopted the Deacon-Family Ministry plan to better minister to the church family.

About 1995, a church youth group was begun which continues to meet on Wednesday evenings in the basement of the parsonage. Participation is open not only to youth at First Baptist, but also those from other churches as well and even some who are not a regular part of any church. Attendance generally ranges from 20 to 30 young people each week.

In March 1999, two very significant events occurred in the life of First Baptist when Kids for Christ was started on Sunday evenings for the younger children, and First Fridays was begun for the entire church family to share a meal together and a brief lesson on a timely topic which might not necessarily lend itself to sermon time on Sunday morning.

In August 2000, the church purchased a new 15-passenger van after several years of fund-raising for the purpose. It has proved beneficial for the youth, as well as other church groups, to be able to participate in various activities for which a vehicle would otherwise have to be rented or participants would have to car-pool.

As a community service project, the Golden Circle Sunday School Class opened a clothes closet in October 2000. This has been a tremendous asset for local families finding themselves unable to provide one of the basic necessities of life.

One of the most significant events in the life of the church is something accomplished by our pastor Vern Peterson who, in 1995, began his quest for the Doctor of Ministry degree at Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. His efforts were rewarded in May 2000, when the seminary conferred the long sought degree upon him.

As we bring to a close another decade in the life of First Baptist Church, Denton, we look to the future eagerly anticipating what God will accomplish through us here as we strive to be "a caring church proclaiming the gospel."

SOUTHGATE BAPTIST CHURCH

The present day Southgate Baptist Church, originally known as Tabernacle Baptist Church, had it's beginning with 28 Charter members in the month of October, 1945. The first meetings of the newly organized church were held in the Walker Funeral Home located on Memorial Park Drive, Thomasville, North Carolina. (Some of these Charter members were Henry & Marie Carpenter. Rom & Ruth Shaw, N. A. & Hazel Cornelison, Virgil & Ruth Myers. Dewey & Ludie Lydon, George & Mae Free. Donna Jarvis, Dorothy McCaskill, L. W. Hansel, Bill Kincaid & Granny McCarn).

In December of 1945, the church moved to an old garage on Randolph Street. For a more adequate meeting place the church moved once more to a vacant store building on Sunrise Avenue, where they worshiped until a church building was constructed on newly purchased land at 214 Royal Oak Street. in the early fall of 1947. At this time the name was changed to Glenanna Baptist Church.

In the month of July, 1958, the church purchased a tract of land known as the Jones place located in the southwest corner of Cloniger and Liberty Drive for the amount of $16,500. The land was paid for by the church and a new parsonage was constructed for the amount of $26,000 in 1959.

In the first months of 1968, plans were formed to relocate the church building on the purchased land. The old church building was sold to the local Nazarene Church and construction of the first unit complex began in the year 1969 and was named Southgate Baptist Church. The new building was financed through

church bonds and sale of old property for the amount of $49.000. The first service in the new church building was November 30, 1969.

Plans were made again, and on November 14, 1976, ground was broken for our present sanctuary. The building was dedicated on November 27, 1977.

The pastors who have served and the years of their pastorates are:

Rev. Bill Kincaid - October 1945 to November 1947
Rev. Robert Taylor - December 1947 to January 1959
Rev. Odell Hall - April1959 to February 1961
Rev. Hoyt Adams - February 1961 to June 1962
Rev. Bill Knight - September 1962 to April 1963
Rev. Cecil Hedgepeth - April 1963 to April 1967
Rev. Gerald Hewitt (interim pastor) - May 1967 To December 1967
Rev. Clyde B. Case, Jr. - December 1967 to December 1978
Rev. Horace Barefoot (interim pastor)
Rev. Winfred Allison - July 1979 to January 1982
Rev. Isaac Terrell (interim pastor)
Rev. Andrew Royals, Jr. - August 1982 to August 1997
Rev. Bill Freeman (interim pastor) - January 1998 to October 1998
Rev. Chuck Garner - October 1998 to the present.

The church debt was paid off before homecoming in the year 2000 At present, the church property is valued at $1,601,800. In November 2000, we called Brian Butler to be minister of education and youth. He and his family are presently living in the church parsonage. Repair work is going on now to make the church hut ready for youth activities. Our office equipment has been updated this year. We now have a new computer that will enable us to keep better records.

COGGINS MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

This is an update of church events since October 7, 1996, when the Liberty Baptist Association last met at Coggins Memorial Baptist Church.

Coggins employed a Christian counselor in November, 1996. The Youth Director resigned in November, 1996 due to his civilian work load. In December, 1996, $21,000 from Agro-Care activity was sent to four different world hunger organizations.

The church approved the purchase of a Rogers Model 835B organ in February, 1997, at a cost of $35,000. The organ was installed June, 1997, and paid in full in July, 1998.

Beth Walters, current Secretary, was employed by the church April 1, 1997. Everett Hathaway, current Youth Director, was employed in February,1998.

In June, 1998, the church approved the renovation of the basement of the old building including making it handicap accessible. The heating and air was replaced in the house at 14 Harrington Ave., which is occupied by the Associate Pastor. The exterior was updated with siding and guttering in October, 1999.

Coggins began contributing to the South Africa partnership in January, 1999. Church member, Barry Parker, entered the Seminary at Louisville, KY. in April, 1999.

In October, 1999, a Kid's Club was organized for children grades 3 through grade 6 with an enrollment of 42. Currently the enrollment is 67. The main objective is Bible teaching and spiritual training, which includes memorizing Bible verses, the pledges to the Bible, United States and Christian flags. The children earn certificates and t-shirts when they reach certain levels of learning.
Thirty children were presented certificates and t-shirts in February, 2000.

Coggins was approved to be incorporated in September, 2000. The Child Development Center, established in 1995 with an enrollment of 36, now maintains its maximum enrollment of 60. It is a four-star daycare and is debt free.

Coggins is approaching its 50th Anniversary in 2001. "To God Be The Glory" for each and every accomplishment in the past and the years to come.

ELECTED MESSENGERS - OCTOBER 2, 2000 - AUGUST 31, 2001

(The names of Messengers who attended the Annual Meeting of 2000, or any Quarterly meeting in 2001, are in bold, italic text).

Abbotts Creek

Dot Canada
Roy Cantrell
Scott Ford
Mary Gann
Michael Gann
Betsy Leach
Pansy Moore
Betty Jo Motsinger
Daphne Motsinger
Michael Rinehardt
Jack Rose
Mary Smith
Evva Spurgeon
Ruth Spurgeon
Doris Stocks
Lee Stocks
John Sulger
Lawrence Todd, Jr.
Betty Williams
James Williams

Amity

Wayne Fulton
Dalton King
Cindi Lawson
Jimmy Lawson
Betty Proctor
Raymond Proctor
Alternates
Peggy Fulton
Kim Householder
Eloise King
Angela Rohrer

Carolina Memorial

Arnold Atwood
Ella Batten
Betty Bradshaw
Hilda K. Byerly
Ethel Carter
Peggy Guffey
Louanne Hedrick
Tim Landreth
Jackie Lewis
Jackie Miller
Kenneth Miller
Brad Myers
Loretta Ogden
Sandra White
Stuart White
Carlene Wright

Carolina Memorial - continued

Raleigh York, Jr.
Fred Young
Pauline Young

Cedar Lodge

Russell Brownworth
Brenda Emmons
Patsy Hinkle
Bill Reece
Evelyn Reece

Center Hill

Bessie Blackwell
Frank Carter
Goldie Hicks
Betty Honbaier
Glenda Mabry
Harold Mabry
Lamar Moore, Jr.
Mary Ruth Sheets
Layne Wallace
Stephany Wallace

Central

Billy Sloop
Dora Sloop

Churchland

C. J. Everhart
Muriel Everhart
Betty Ferguson
Alice Greene
Anna Greene
George Greene
Vernelle Greene
Sue Hilliard
John Marshall
Steve Martin
Janice Mullineaux
Idalia Snider
Nancy Swicegood
Alternates:
Karen Lee Allen
Calvin Mullineaux

Clearview

Dean Fox
Bill Freeman
Nell Freeman

Coggins Memorial

Claudia Askins
Lowell Askins
Charles Dickens
Judy Dickens

Coggins Memorial - continued
Rita Hobbs
Lillian Hyatt
David Shaffer
Karen Shaffer
Lionel Wall

Colonial
Connie Burgess
Carolyn Embler
P. D. Embler
Ricky Embler
Steve Jarvis
Billy King
Jerry Shores
Don Wilborne

Denton, First
Betty Lomax
Peggy Moore
Margaret Morris
Vern Peterson
Linda Skeen
Dewey Snider
Goldia Spivey
Inez Varner
Tyler Varner

Faith
Janeth Bean
Brenda English
Dawn English
Kristi Foster
Trevor Foster
Jamie Harrison
Kenneth Tysinger

Floyd
Fred Miller

Greenwood
Daneze Brinkley
Mildred Brinkley
Bill Ferguson
Dorothy Ferguson
Ruby Glenn
John Gore
Maxine Hudson
Ovada Lambe
Stephen Livengood
Mamie Mendenhall
Geneva Ripple
Canitia Simpson

Hasty
Brown Baity
Edna Baity
John D. Cecil, Jr.
John D. Cecil, Sr.

Hasty - continued
Mildred Cecil
Bernard Ferrell
Emily Hushour
Chris Lingerfelt
Ramona Taylor

High Rock
Russ Bailey
Carolyn Cooper
Russell Cooper

Hillside Park
None reported

Holloways
Jim Beanblossom
Jane Carrick
Ronald Carrick
Nancy Darr
Darrell Hunley

Jersey
George Beeker
Margaret Beeker
Michael Collier
Charlotte Cook
David Crumpler
Robert Knapp
Sara Knapp
Barbara Mason
Becky Myers
Malcolm Myers
Rick Myers
Carolyn Smith
Harold Tate
Virginia Tate

Lakeview
Chris Hawks
Dot Nester
Hugh Nester
Mildred Rabon
Henry Wood
Phyllis Wood

Lexington, First
Doris Helvey
Jim Helvey
Bruce Hill
Ray Howell, III
Opal Johnson
Wade Johnson
Mark Kemp
Leonard Rollins
Polly Rollins
Sandra Wilson
Tommy Wilson

Liberty

Harvey Grubb
Peter Hamilton
Carl Hunt
Marvin Whitaker

Lick Creek

Kathy Cottrell
Jean Jarvis
John Jarvis
Hilda Ours
Ralph Ours
Hulon Pait

Mills Homes

Imogene Hoyle

Mountain View

Fallie Mae Carrick
John Kroh
Katy Palmer
Catherine Parker
Clay Parker
Brenda Parks
Darrell Parks

New Friendship

Jane Brown
Kay Shell
Gloria South
Roy South
Jeanette Teague

North Lexington

Robert J. Floyd
Lillian Fritts
Thurman Fritts
Jake Sharpe
Janet Sharpe

Oak Hill

Charles Barker
Shelby Barker
Billy J. Beck
Billy R. Beck
Jim Disher
Kathy Disher
Gary Myers
Joyce Myers

Oakhurst

No Report

Park Place

Bertie Benfield
Glenda Campbell
Rodney Douglas
Sandy Douglas
Willis Maley
Jim Perry
Markus Sink

Reeds

Alex Beck
Charlotte Beck
Connie Forrest
Sylvia Hanes
William Hanes
Dan Hutchins
Wanda Hutchins
Bobbie Pace
John Pace
Jeanette Shoaf
Ann Smith
Gene Smith
Jo Carroll Smith
Larry Smith

Rich Fork

Yvonne Avant
J. Byron Barker
Michael Bowers
John Gwaltney
Bob James
Holley Ziglar

Smith Grove

Greg Barefoot
Margie Cooke
Haywood Graves
Margaret Graves
Wilma Holloway
Dot Koontz
Hazel Lanning
Danny Price

Southgate

Grover Beck, Sr.
Glenda Bray
John Bray
Harry Buckingham
Julie Buckingham
Chuck Garner
Randy Hill
Betty Hughes
Don Hughes
Denise Ingram
Gloria Irby
Leon Irby
Jerry Stilwell
Kenneth Williams

Southside

Ron Blakley
Jerry Darnell
Bobby Gales
Cora George
Faye Goins
John Goins

Southside - continued
Esther House
Elaine Hulin
William Hulin
Janie O'Kelly
Ava Turner
Rocky Turner

Stoner's Grove
Donna Best
Scott Briggs
R. N. Hardin
Barbara Hicks
Bill Hicks
Jeff Stutts
Janice Tysinger
Pauline Warfford

Summerville
Jeff Gallimore
Ethan Hedrick
Phyllis Hughes
Marie Loftin
Larry Michael
Yoshiko Michael
Flynn Richardson

Thomasville, First
David Best
Robert Burchette
Daryl Clark
Clyde Crook
Brenda Ferguson
Sylvia Finney
Diane Gallimore
Bob Griffith
Eva Nifong
Maurine Perryman
Aldeen Robbins
Ann Robbins
Mem Rollins
Dwayne Stanley

Trinity
Cyndy Pierce
Rickey Pierce
Charles Tanner
Linda Tanner
Ann Thomas
Lee Thomas
Mary Waddell
Eva Younts

Victory
Kathryn Hedgepeth
Mac Hedgepeth
Jewell Morrow
Phillip Morrow

Victory - continued
Chester Westmoreland
Kathleen Westmoreland

Wallburg
Max Evington
Orilee Evington
Edith Reid
Nolan Reid
Pamela Richardson
Jo Ann Roumillat
Raymond Roumillat

Welcome, First
Mark Blair
Kathy Blair
Keith Brown
Charlie Nifong
Linda Nifong
Robert Odom
Virginia Odom
Judy Yarbrough

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Michael Gann
John Hedgecock
Mark Hollar
Betsy Leach
Pansy Moore
Betty Jo Motsinger
Daphne Motsinger
Hugh Motsinger
Michael Rinehardt
Jack Rose
Mary Smith
Evva Spurgeon
John Sulger
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Eloise King
Angela Rohrer

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Arnold Atwood
Dolan Batten
Ella Batten
Betty Bradshaw
Hilda K. Byerly
Ethel Carter
Peggy Guffey
Louanne Hedrick
Tim Landreth
Jackie Lewis
Jackie Miller
Kenneth Miller
Brad Myers
Loretta Ogden

Carolina Memorial - continued

Julie Russell
Sandra White
Stuart White
Carlene Wright
Raleigh York, Jr.
Fred Young
Pauline Young

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Brenda Emmons
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Margaret Morris
Vern Peterson
Linda Skeen
Dewey Snider
Goldia Spivey
Inez Varner
Alternate
Betty Lomax

Faith
Janeth Bean
Lilly Curry
Dawn English
Kristi Foster
Trevor Foster
Mike Singleton
Joyce Snider

Floyd
None Reported

Greenwood
Bill Ferguson
Dorothy Ferguson
Ruby Glenn
Dot Goodin
John Gore
Judy Grubb
Maxine Hudson
Carolyn Livengood
Stephen Livengood
JoAnn Maley
Grace Sexton
Ray Sexton

Hasty
Brown Baity

Hasty - continued
Edna Baity
John D. Cecil, Jr.
John D. Cecil, Sr.
Mildred Cecil
Bernard Ferrell
Emily Hushour
Chris Lingerfelt

High Rock
Russ Bailey
Carolyn Cooper
Russell Cooper

Hillside Park
None Reported

Holloways
Jim Beanblossom
Jane Carrick
Ronald Carrick
Nancy Darr
R. H. Leonard
Bynum Orr
Carol Sams
James Sams, Jr.

Jersey
George Beeker
Margaret Beeker
Michael Collier
Charlotte Cook
David Crumpler
Sara Knapp
Barbara Mason
Becky Myers
Malcolm Myers
Rick Myers
Carolyn Smith
Harold Tate
Virginia Tate

Lakeview
Dot Nester
Hugh Nester
Mildred Rabon
Leonard Rollins
Betty Simmerson
Henry Wood

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Brenda Parks
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Shirley Higgs
Tom Higgs
Tom Sale
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Roy South
Jeanette Teague

North Lexington

Tammy Campbell
Robert Dennis
Shirley Floyd
Lillian Fritts
Thurman Fritts
Jake Sharpe
Chuck Williams

Oak Hill Memorial

Charles Barker
Sara Barker
Shelby Barker
Betty Beck
Billy J. Beck
Billy R. Beck
Jim Disher
Kathy Disher
Gary Myers
Joyce Myers
Betty Stone

Oakhurst

No Report

Park Place

Lillian Bartlett

Park Place - continued

Bertie Benfield
Rodney Douglas
Sandy Douglas
Christine Everhart
Willis Maley
Dean Marion
Doris Meredith
Jim Perry
Susan Scarboro
Markus Sink

Reeds

Alex Beck
Charlotte Beck
Connie Forrest
Sylvia Hanes
William Hanes
Dan Hutchins
Wanda Hutchins
Bobbie Pace
John Pace
Jeanette Shoaf
Ann Smith
Gene Smith
Jo Carroll Smith
Larry Smith
Judy Wood

Rich Fork

Yvonne Avant
J. Byron Barker
Michael Bowers
Ivan D. Crissman, Jr.
Cora Dorsett
Virginia Fritts
John Gwaltney
Bob James
Glenn S. Nance
Joyce Nance

Smith Grove

Jack Cooke
Margie Cooke
Beverly Dyson
Haywood Graves
Margaret Graves
Jeanne Hanes
Kenny Lanning
Jim Orrell
Shelby Orrell
Martha Swing
Braxton Troublefield
Sarah Troublefield

Southgate

Grover Beck, Sr.

Southgate - continued
Glenda Bray
John Bray
Harry Buckingham
Julie Buckingham
Chuck Garner
Randy Hill
Betty Hughes
Don Hughes
Denise Ingram
Gloria Irby
Leon Irby
Jerry Stilwell
Kenneth Williams

Southside
Ron Blakley
Jerry Darnell
Bobby Gales
Cora George
Faye Goins
Esther J. House
Elaine Hulin
William Hulin
Taysha McGee
Ava House Turner

Alternates
Martha Gales
Pauline Matthews
Rocky Turner

Stoner's Grove
Donna Best
R. N. Hardin
Barbara Hicks
Bill Hicks
Nee Nee Jones
Paul Tucker
Janice Tysinger

Summerville
Lynn Garner
Ethan Hedrick
Larry Michael
Yoshiko Michael
Flynn Richardson
Andy Tuttle
Todd Varner

Thomasville, First
David Best
Robert Burchette
Brenda Ferguson
Donna Ferguson
Sylvia Finney
Diane Gallimore
Eva Nifong

Thomasville, First - continued
Maurine Perryman
Aldeen Robbins
Ann Robbins
Mem Rollins
Henry Traynham

Trinity
Carrie Ann Fulbright
Cindy Koontz
Charles Tanner
Linda Tanner
Mary Waddell
Eva Younts

Victory
Jewell Morrow
Phillip Morrow

Wallburg
Ann Beeson
Max Evington
Orilee Evington
Charles Holcomb
Emily Holcomb
Morris Hollifield
Jo Ann Roumillat
Raymond Roumillat

Welcome, First
Mark Blair
Keith Brown
Paul Chenoweth
Rose Chenoweth
Jana Eanes
Linda Nifong
Robert Odom
Virginia Odom
Faye Smith
Martin Smith
Michael Sullivan
Carol Ann Yarbrough
Judy Yarbrough

LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION REPORTS

ALPHA PREGNANCY SUPPORT, INC

Grace to you and peace from God our father and the Lord, Jesus Christ I bring you greetings from the Staff and Board of Directors at Alpha Pregnancy Support. I want to Thank God and the Liberty Baptist Association for allowing me the opportunity to share with you once again. "*The Lord has done great things for us, whereof we are glad.*" *We have seen many miracles at Alpha.*

I want to share the latest statistics with you. We saw 121 Clients through the first quarter of this year, including 29 new ones. 20 babies have been born and 17 clients have made a decision for Christ. Praise the Lord!

During the year of 2000, we had 444 client sessions, 362 were returning clients for long term support and 72 babies were born.

79 clients attended the M.O.M.S. support classes of which 63 were teens.
52 clients made a decision to receive Christ as Lord and Savior.
129 attended Bible Study and 66 Bibles were distributed.
78 teens heard the Abstinence message and.....
52 made pledges to abstain from pre - marital sex.
16 sessions were conducted for Post Abortion Counseling Education and
22 clients returned to school for Continuing Education and job training.

Alpha operates on a small budget, about $36,000 annually, including rent, utilities, office supplies and salaries. We rely solely on churches, business and individual donations for support . At this time we have a big need for Cribs. Four mothers are on the waiting list. We need Bibles for new converts and postage stamps for the center. We hope to see you all at the next annual Walk- A-Thon coming up in the fall. We certainly pray that you will continue to support this worth while ministry.

Once again I am deeply appreciative to many of you for your ongoing support and for embracing the Ministry at Alpha Pregnancy during this Spiritual war. The battle is long and hard, yet it is not ours, but it is the Lord's and God wants to use us as His vessel.

As I reviewed the theme, *"Partners in the Harvest,"* I thought, Yes, we are "Partners in the Harvest." We are *Partners and We have been Partners for the past three years, in preserving life* to produce a Harvest of newborn babies. During this time, 203 babies have been born. We are *Partners in promoting salvation* and pointing souls to Christ, Between 1998 and 2000, 142 people came to Christ, 161 Bibles were distributed and 220 clients have attended Bible Study. We are *partners in supporting young people in a crisis* and we are *Partners in promoting Christian Values* through Abstinence Education. 303 students heard the Abstinence message and 190 have pledged to abstain from premarital sex. We are *Partners in the Pro-life Movement* to prevent abortion and 16 Post Abortion Counseling Education sessions were conducted.

The challenge before us today is to choose life for the unborn. Dr. King and Ghandi promoted love, justice and peace. But Reinhold Niebuhr, the great German Theologian, made a distinction between love and justice. We must promote justice for life in order that babies will have a chance to live. Abortionists may not believe that God will punish them, but "A just and loving God cannot be identified with the values of evil people." In other words, those who promote and perform abortions are creating a "god of cheap grace" according to Dietrich Bonhoeffer. If Joseph and Mary had not been taught Christian values, Jesus may have been aborted. The babies and clients at Alpha need your support. Together, as Partners in Harvest, we can win the world for the pro-life movement. through promoting love, peace, education and justice. God reminds us in the book of Deuteronomy chapter 30, verse 19. He said, *I call heaven and earth as witnesses today against you, that I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing; therefore, choose life that both you and your descendants may live.*

Oh, yes how we want to live, because God has a purpose for our lives. Personally, I am so grateful for life. You see, I know what it is like to struggle with death. It was December of 1985, almost 16 years ago when the doctors said I had cancer and I could no longer live. But, I asked and begged to go home for one more day. At home, we had a little talk with Jesus, an old fashion prayer meeting and I cried out to God, and He decided to let me live for a little while longer. He looked beyond my faults and saw my needs. It was nothing deserving that I had done. You see, it was the pure goodness and mercy of God that He let me live. I recall, it was not so long ago when I was a pregnant teen, alone, abused and lost in a big city.

But God, let me live because He had a plan for my life. Like Abraham, because of my faith in God, I have already been declared righteous, I have been justified, redeemed and washed in the blood of the Lamb. Oh, Hallelujah, Praise God today! Yes, He had a purpose for my life and he has a purpose for every child he plants in the womb. I urge you today to continue supporting your Pro- life center. Help us choose life so that others can live. May God richly Bless you! Amen! Amen!

Bonnie R. Laney
Executive Director

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY REPORT

Our 2000-2001 year has been an exciting one. God has truly blessed our association with a tremendous spirit of cooperation, and a zeal for missions. For this, I am truly grateful. I thank God continually for allowing me serve Him as your Associational Missionary.

Over the past several weeks, the images of thousands dying in the September 11, terrorists attack on the World Trade Towers, the Pentagon, and Pennsylvania, replay over and over, in my mind. As the scenes of the devastation flashed on the TV, one thought kept coming to my mind; how many were ready to meet eternity? How many had heard the gospel? How many were saved? These events show us our world needs the gospel more than ever. What's the answer for a sick world—Jesus Christ! If so many can slip into eternity so quickly, we must do all we can to spread the Good-News of Jesus. God loves every person, and every person is valuable to Him. God is not willing that any should perish. "For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him," John 3:17. Every person is precious to Him, and all stand in need of a Savior.

Associational Missionary's Activity Report:

Visits to our churches	= 87
Spoke or preached	= 56
Ordination and/or Installation services	= 6
Meetings	= 187

Meetings Include:

Ethnic Ministries Committee	Partnership Committee	Building/Planning Committee
Baptist Student Union	Hispanic classes	Executive Meetings
New Work	Evangelism Committee	Personnel Committee
Discipleship Committee	Counsel/Career Assessment	Place & Preacher Committee
Resolution Committee	Conflict Management	LBA Secretary's Meetings
Program Committee	Scholarship Committee	Mission Development Com.
Committee on Nominations	Pulpit Committees	Toy Store Ministry
Ministers' conferences	Finance Committee	Prison Ministry

Other work includes:

Meetings with denomination officials	Pastor mailings
Meetings with Pastors and Staff	Web site development
Convention in New Orleans	Advertising and planning
Baptist State Convention	Denominational & local seminars
Ridgecrest Conference	

Our plans and goals for 2002 include:

- Having every church involved in some mission project.
- Having our folks involved in a mission trip to Honduras and Alaska.
- Starting a new church.
- Continuing our work with the Hispanic population in our area.
- Developing a camp ground ministry at High Rock Lake, and possibly other sites.
- A trip for our pastors to West Virginia to speak in churches there.
- Having an open heart that we may go where God leads us.

Our Future

Our journey ahead will be marked by years of change, change, and more change. How will we keep up with the frightening, and at times, frantic pace of new technologies, medicines, trends, relationships? We must meet it with enthusiasm, vision, and energy. The challenges of the future demand that we let go of yesterday and envision what is yet to be! Let us not be complacent with the, "status quo," of today, but creatively dream how to become more efficient in what God has called us to accomplish.

Our Mission for the New Millennium

1. Preach the precious and redeeming Gospel of Jesus Christ, resulting in disciples.
2. Minister to all people, not just those who are in the church.
3. And fellowship with people at the point of their need.

Thank you for every dime you and your church send to missions, not only to your Association, but gifts to the Cooperative Program, and through special offerings. Your mission dollars make it possible for millions to hear the wonderful news of Jesus Christ. I know your gifts of time and money will be blessed by God and multiplied to reach His world.

Let me close by thanking you for your trust and allowing me to use my gifts here in the Liberty Association.

Respectfully,
Michael R. Ester

AUDITING COMMITTEE REPORT

The Auditing Committee has reviewed the financial transactions for the year September 1, 2000 through August 31, 2001. Our review has shown proper reporting of receipts in agreement with the year end statement of contributions received. The review of all bank statements showed no exceptions and was in agreement with the year end balance of $149,488.13 as shown on the financial report.

The committee reviewed each expenditure made by the association from September 1, 2000 through August 31, 2001. We found all items to be proper expenditures based on the approved budget or special action by the association. Several line items of the budget were slightly overspent but each was within reason and the Finance Committee was aware of these. Two special non-budget items, Associational Missionary moving expense and the van for Christian Activity Center in East St. Louis, were approved by the association during its meetings.

The review as completed by the Auditing Committee allows us to state that the Finance report with detailed contribution statement clearly reflects the financial transactions of the Liberty Baptist Association's fiscal year. We end the year in good financial shape with a good bank balance to enter the next year. Thanks be to God!

Based on our review of the financial records, we suggest that the Association accept this review instead of an outside audit of our books for the year.

Respectfully submitted,
Jerry Gardner, Chairman

BROTHERHOOD/BAPTIST MEN ANNUAL REPORT

We have received information about the work being done by the Brotherhood/Baptist Men organizations in the churches of Liberty Baptist Association. Some of the work is considered handyman ministry, some construction, some cleanup or repair, some involves all church members in various forms of ministry, but regardless of the chosen area of work, it has been done in the name of Jesus Christ and with Christian love. The following is a recap of that information:

Homes were roofed, with eaves and boxing repaired; wheel chair ramps and bathrooms were built. Many trips were made to eastern North Carolina to assist in rebuilding and repairing homes damaged by Hurricane Floyd, places like Grifton, Tick Bite, Wallace, where people like Calvin Roundtree, the Talley family, and Faye Hanchey were shown the love of Christ at the same time repairs were being made. Donations were made of bed linens, 2600 lbs of potatoes and other food items, clothing, building supplies and many, many hours of free labor.

There have been trips to Mexico, Honduras, El Salvador, Alaska and several churches and Baptist Men have donated needed clothing, food, and cleanup materials to flood victims in West Virginia.

Baptist Men prepared care baskets for the Hospice patients in Davidson County, as well as for the sick in their own church; they made gifts to children through the Angel Tree Project; banquets were held with donations going to the Juvenile Diabetes Foundation; and fruit baskets, bulletins, etc. were delivered to shut-in church members.

Many of the Baptist Men of Liberty Baptist Association are going to work at Mundo Vista on a regular basis, purchasing construction materials and repairing cabins.

The Baptist Men of our churches do not do this alone, they recruit other church members, involve all of the mission organizations of the churches. The Royal Ambassadors have been included in mission trips and they have built bird houses as gifts to mothers. Some have even mowed the yards of older church members. The Brotherhood/Baptist Men of one church are planning to build a Habitat house this year.

Disaster Relief Update-September 19, 2001-New York and Washington DC Responses
(Received from Richard Brunson, Baptist State Convention of NC)
"Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; you rod and your staff, they comfort me." Psalms 23:4
As of September 20, 2001, five feeding units, three shower units, and two communication units are operational. The total meals cooked to date by all feeding units is 87,529. Approximately 1,553 volunteers have been utilized by all the units.

We will be receiving requests in the coming year for assistance in New York and in Washington, DC. There is no doubt our Brotherhood and Baptist Men will respond in Christian love, as they have done many times in the past. Thank you for all you do in the name of Jesus Christ!!

John Gore, Co-Chairman
William Hanes, Co-Chairman

DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING ANNUAL REPORT

As He gave the Great Commission, Jesus instructed Believers to give attention to reaching the lost with the Gospel and to seek to develop those who are saved. Discipleship is the plan and design of the Lord our God for **every believer**. The entire lifetime of one who is saved is to be devoted to Discipleship. We are to continue spiritual development through our entire lifetime.

Discipleship Training, in some form, is crucially important to every church! Whether discipleship occurs through individual studies, small group events, or through preaching and teaching that focuses on Christian development, every church must be certain to give attention to this ministry to believers.

Within the Liberty Association, during the past year, two conferences were offered at the Leader Training Event. A special Discipleship Training emphasis was also offered to Pastors and Staff Leaders. We had two churches, Carolina Memorial and Welcome First, to participate in the Bible Drills this year. A Bible Drills Rally was conducted in August at First Baptist Church, Welcome, with focus being on Bible Drills for the coming year. A total of seven Liberty Baptist Association Churches were represented with a total of 26 present.

Please pray for Rev. Mark Blair and me, as we seek to lead the Liberty Association in Discipleship Training emphasis during the coming year. Our desire is encourage each of our Liberty Association Churches to give Discipleship Training a greater emphasis.

Respectfully submitted,
Stuart White
Associational Discipleship Training Supporter

ETHNIC MINISTRIES COMMITTEE REPORT

In **May of 2001**, the Ethnic Ministries Committee and the churches of Liberty Baptist Association hosted a first-time ***Hispanic Missions Fair*** for the Hispanic community in Thomasville. The Missions Fair was advertised and promoted by the Mision Bautista Hispana de Thomasville. Carolina Memorial Baptist Church, where this mission holds services, graciously agreed to the use of their facilities for this event. The featured highlight of the day was the North Carolina Baptist Men's Medical Dental Bus. Local doctors, dentists, dental hygienists, and nurses volunteered their time. 70 people were seen: 34 dental patients, and 36 medical patients. Among those who volunteered their time were Dr. Diane Bundy, Dr. Pamela Darr, Dr. James McGhee, Dr. Robert Dellinger, Dr. Thomas Futrell, Dr. Daniel Gentry, and Deborah Stokely, Nurse Practitioner.

On **Everybody's Day-September 29th**, Liberty Baptist Association had a booth. Members of our Ethnic Ministries Committee distributed *"Lifesaver"* Witness Cards in Spanish, Bibles, and the *Jesus* video.

There are four missions within Liberty Baptist Association: **(1)** Hispanic group at North Lexington Baptist Church; **(2)** Cambodian group also meeting at North Lexington Baptist Church; **(3)** Mision Bautista Hispana, sponsored by Carolina Memorial and Rich Fork, meeting at Carolina Memorial; Hispanic group meeting at Coggins Memorial Baptist Church.

2001-2002 PLANS FOR OUR ETHNIC GROUPS: **Clothing and Book Drive** for new Hispanic Mission sponsored by Coggins Memorial. New and used (in very good condition) clothing and books are being collected now, and may be taken to the associational office. Clothing should indicate size and whether for male or female. These items will be distributed on October 21st at Coggins Memorial. **Christmas Gift Bags** will be assembled to give to those attending any of the missions. **Medical/Dental Bus** is reserved for April 16, 2001, at Coggins Memorial. All ethnic groups in the area will be invited. **Mosaic magazine subscriptions** in Spanish for women are needed at the Hispanic missions. It is possible that those churches within the association who do not have people available to volunteer for sponsored events would be willing to assist with the cost of these subscriptions. **Spanish Classes** Future introductory Spanish classes may be held at either Abbotts Creek Baptist Church or at Center Hill Baptist Church. **Migrant Workers** will be invited to worship with the Mision Bautista Hispana de Thomasville group. We will be asking for God's guidance to direct us how to minister to these unique people. **Mission Newsletter** In addition to *Connections*, the newsletter of Liberty Baptist Association, it is possible we will have a bi-lingual newsletter, which will be mailed to all mission contacts, including those made through the ministry of the medical/dental bus. This newsletter would include a prayer list, a testimony, what's happening when and where, praises, list of baptisms and a weekly devotion. **Multi Cultural Conference** is tentatively scheduled for February, 2002. More information will be coming on this.

The Ethnic Ministry is diverse and there are many areas available to us for outreach. Please pray with us that we may reach those in our area for Christ.

Respectfully submitted,
Donna Evans, Chairman

EVANGELISM COMMITTEE REPORT

We are just a couple of weeks away from our Associational Simultaneous Revivals which we are calling ***"Jesus: The Light of the World"*** revival. More than half of our churches are participating, by praying for their respective communities through Prayer Walks and Cottage Prayer Meetings, and canvassing homes with revival information. Most churches are holding their revival during the week of October 21st, though some are meeting on other dates. Then on **Sunday Morning, October 28th**, we will be urging every Liberty Baptist Association church to hold **High Attendance Day** for the Morning Worship service, striving for a **goal of 10,000** across our association.

Our desire as an Evangelism Committee is to keep before our churches our Associational Mission Statement: **"To be a Spirit-led family of churches who train, counsel, encourage and assist each other in fulfilling the Great Commission and the Great Commandment."** Looking ahead toward 2002, we have scheduled an ***On Mission Celebration*** (formerly World Missions Conference) for **October 27-30**, when we will have missionaries from our State Convention, the North American Mission Board, and the International Mission Board speaking in participating churches. We encourage all churches in Liberty Baptist Association to participate in the exciting On Mission Celebration.

The Great Commission declares: "As you go, make disciples of all nations...." We are challenged by our redeeming Savior and Lord to share our faith with everyone we know so that everyone will have a chance to receive Jesus as their Savior and Lord and be Born Again. This commission was not simply addressed to missionaries and preachers, but to every Christian. We know how quick life can end as we have recently witnessed the destructive terrorist activity in New York City and Washington, DC. Our question is: "Were all 266 passengers in the four hi-jacked planes and the thousands who died at the World Trade Centers and the Pentagon ready to meet the Lord Jesus Christ in eternity?" The Lord has yet to return to this earth because He is giving everyone a chance to repent and be saved. Enter our responsibility as Christ's disciples to evangelize our world, sharing Jesus with everyone. May we as an Association of Baptist Churches keep before our people the need to always be ready with a testimony to share so that we can be certain our friends and relations have heard the Good News of salvation in Christ.

Pray for revival in our churches, our county, our state, and our nation!!!

Respectfully submitted,
Michael Collier, Chairman

FINANCIAL REPORTS

MISSION MINISTRY/GENERAL FUND BUDGET - ADOPTED JULY 9, 2001

September 1, 2001 - August 31, 2002

		2000-2001	2001-2002
MISSIONS			
Mission Support			
5101	Alpha Pregnancy Center	600	600
5102	Brotherhood Handyman Ministries/Trailer	500	700
5103	Seaman's Center Ministry	250	250
5104	Literature Ministry	1,000	1,000
5105	DCCC Campus Ministry	25	25
5106	Davidson Medical Ministries Clinic	600	600
5107	Davidson County Prison Ministry	2,400	3,400
5108	Disaster Relief Fund	250	500
5109	Ethnic Ministry	250	500
*5110	Davidson County Women's Prison		600
5111	Seminary Extension	500	500
5120	Christian Activity Center, East St. Louis, IL	1,200	1,400
5122	New Work (10% of Undesignated)	12,000	12,000
5124	Partnership Missions	1,000	1,000
5140	WMU Toy Store Ministry	275	275
5150	WMU Prison Ministry	1,200	1,200
5160	Youth Events	2,000	2,000
	Sub-Total	**$24,050**	**$ 26,550**
PERSONNEL			
Director of Missions			
5210	DOM Total Package	68,696	70,760
	Salary		
	Housing Allowance		
	Travel Allowance		
	Social Security Offset		
	Retirement		
	Christmas Gift		
	Hospital & Life Insurance		
	Sub-Total	**$ 68,696**	**$ 70,760**
Office Manager			
5220	Salary	16,380	
5221	FICA/Med-Care	1,250	
5222	Christmas Gift	150	
5223	Disability & Life Insurance	620	
5224	Retirement	1,638	
	Sub-Total	**$ 20,038**	**$ 20,640**
SUPPORT			
5230	Clerk	450	450
5231	Treasurer	625	625
5232	Temporary Secretary	550	700
5330	Associational Speakers	300	600
5331	Church Secretaries Association	100	100
5332	Convention Expense (DOM-$1,800; Sec.-$300)	2,100	2,100
5333	Equipment (Color Printer)	3,300	3,300
5340	Library/Media/Audio Visuals	300	500

		2000-2001	2001-2002
5351	Historical Committee	100	100
5360	Newsletter	400	900
5361	Newsletter Postage	1,200	1,700
5362	Office Supplies	1,000	1,500
5363	Office Postage	1,800	1,800
5364	Printing of Minutes	1,500	1,700
5370	Telephone	1,000	1,200
5384	Minister's Conference	400	500
	Sub-Total	**$15,125**	**$ 17,775**
TRAINING/EQUIPPING SUPPORT			
5401	Brotherhood	500	1,000
5402	Discipleship Training	100	200
5403	Evangelism	500	500
5404	Key Leadership Conference	300	300
5405	Music	200	200
5406	Sunday School	250	250
*5407	Christian Life & Public Affairs		200
*5408	Pastoral Ministries Committee		250
*5409	Associational Program Committee		1,200
5420	VBS	500	600
5430	WMU	650	650
5440	Youth	200	200
5450	Senior Adults	600	600
5460	Single Adults	100	100
5470	Missions Development Council	200	200
	Sub-Total	**$ 4,100**	**$ 6,450**
ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICE SUPPORT			
5510	Insurance	1,300	1,300
5520	Maintenance	2,000	2,000
5521	Custodial Services	550	550
5522	Yard Service	350	350
5530	Utilities	2,000	2,500
5531	Office Equipment	3,000	3,000
	Sub-Total	**$ 9,200**	**$ 9,700**
OTHER SUPPORT			
5610	Miscellaneous	3,500	3,500
5620	Rollins-DOM Conference Expense	150	150
	Sub-Total	**$ 3,650**	**$ 3,650**
	TOTAL AMOUNT OF BUDGET	**$144,859**	**$155,525**

* New Budget Items

BUDGET EXPLANATIONS AND INFORMATION

4. The Budget was increased this year by 7.4%
2. Office Manager's salary based on a 35 hour week. Benefits include two (2) weeks paid vacation. There will be 5 personal/sick day, plus one for every year of service. These days will not carry over to the next year. The time off is funded by the Temporary Secretary line item.
3. Clerk's salary will be paid as single payment by August 31 each year.
4. Treasurer's salary will be paid as a single payment by August 31 each year.

LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, Thomasville North Carolina

BUDGET/DESIGNATED FUNDS ACTIVITY - SEPTEMBER 1, 2000 THRU AUGUST 31, 2001
REPORT ENDING DATE - AUGUST 31, 2001

Fund Accounts	Beginning Balance	Receipts Year-to-Date	Total Year-to-Date	Disbursements Year-to-Date	Fund Balance Year-to-Date
01 Assoc. Program/Budget	**$104,871.82**	**$156,944.87**	**$261,816.69**	**$168,002.65**	**$93,814.04**
02 Annual Minutes	0.00	347.00	347.00	0.00	$347.00
03 Youth Ministry	0.00	700.00	700.00	0.00	$700.00
04 Migrant Ministry	0.50	0.00	0.50	0.00	$0.50
06 Brotherhood Handyman	2,696.33	1,087.52	3,783.85	2,996.33	$787.52
07 Hunger Ministry-N.Lexington	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	$0.00
08 Recovery Trailer	100.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	$100.00
10 Davidson Medical Ministry	100.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	$100.00
11 Evangelism *	0.00	1,987.50	1,987.50	0.00	1,987.50
12 South Africa Partnership	565.23	0.00	565.23	0.00	$565.23
12A-Church Planter	3,018.40	1,050.00	4,068.40	0.00	$4,068.40
13 Ch. Activity Ctr., E. St. Louis	1,580.00	0.00	1,580.00	1,580.00	$0.00
14 Domestic Violence	100.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	$100.00
15 New Work *	12,000.00	13,674.26	25,674.26	0.00	$25,674.26
16 Hispanic Missions	668.00	4,002.64	4,670.64	4,670.64	$0.00
20 Probe/Vista	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	$0.00
22 Leisure Ministry BSCNC	67.92	1,366.64	1,434.56	0.00	$1,434.56
23 State Missions BSCNC	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	$0.00
25 Cambodian Missions	0.00	666.66	666.66	666.66	$0.00
26 Prison Seminary	2,627.36	820.50	3,447.86	2,671.36	$776.50
30 Toy Store Ministry	1,669.83	325.00	1,994.83	216.13	$1,778.70
31 Prisoner Gifts	337.49	2,462.50	2,799.99	1,599.99	$1,200.00
32 Literature Ministry	0.00	70.00	70.00	70.00	$0.00
35 Hurricane Floyd Relief	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	$0.00
36 Building Fund	9,716.52	6,337.40	16,053.92	0.00	$16,053.92
Designated Funds Total	**$35,247.58**	**$34,897.62**	**$70,145.20**	**$14,471.11**	**$55,674.09**

GRAND TOTALS	Beginning Balance	Receipts Year-to-Date	Total Year-to-Date	Disbursements Year-to-Date	Fund Balance Year-to-Date
ALL FUNDS	**$140,119.40**	**$191,842.49**	**$331,961.89**	**$182,473.76**	**$149,488.13**

RECAP

LSB Checking	$83,808.70
LBS Investors Account	65,679.43
TOTAL	**$149,488.13**

*** Transfers from Budget Items**
The amount of $15,661.76 being shown as transfers is included in the "Receipts Year-to-Date" figures When this amount is reduced by the total of the two designated transfers, the result is the total Contributions received for the year of $176,180.73.

LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, Thomasville, North Carolina
GENERAL BUDGET FINANCIAL REPORT - SEPTEMBER 1, 2000 THRU AUGUST 31, 2001
REPORT ENDING DATE - AUGUST 31, 2001

Acct. No.	Item	Disbursements YTD	Received YTD	Balance YTD	2000-2001 Budget
MISSIONS					
	Mission Support				
5101	Alpha Pregnancy Center	600.00	0.00	0.00	600.00
5102	Brotherhood/Handyman Min.	612.48	112.48	0.00	500.00
5103	Seaman's Center Ministry	250.00	0.00	0.00	250.00
5104	Literature Ministry	1,000.00	0.00	0.00	1000.00
5105	DCCC Campus Ministry	0.00	500.00	525.00	25.00
5106	Davidson Med. Min. Clinic	600.00	0.00	0.00	600.00
5107	Davidson Co. Prison Min.	3,066.64	666.64	0.00	2,400.00
5108	Disaster Relief Fund	0.00	0.00	250.00	250.00
5109	Ethnic Ministries	1,495.00	1,245.00	0.00	250.00
5111	Seminary Extension	772.24	748.43	476.19	500.00
5120	Christian Activity Center	17,320.89	9,124.00	(6,996.89)	1,200.00
5122	**New Work (10% of Undesig.)**	13,674.26	0.00	(1,674.26)	12000.00
5124	Partnership Missions	780.99	0.00	219.01	1,000.00
5140	WMU Toy Store Ministry	0.00	0.00	275.00	275.00
5150	WMU Prison Ministry	1,381.02	480.69	299.67	1,200.00
5160	Youth Events	1,793.63	193.00	399.37	2,000.00
	Sub-Total	**$43,347.15**	**$13,070.24**	**($6,226.91)**	**$24,050.00**
PERSONNEL					
	Director of Missions				
5210	DOM Total Package	68,696.00	0.00	0.00	68,696.00
	Sub-Total	**$68,696.00**	**$0.00**	**$0.00**	**$68,696.00**
	Administrative Secretary				
5220	Salary	15,979.00	0.00	400.80	16,380.00
5221	FICA/Med-Care	1,191.76	0.00	58.24	1,250.00
5222	Christmas Gift	150.00	0.00	0.00	150.00
5223	Disability/Life Ins.	782.88	0.00	(162.88)	620.00
5224	Retirement	1,575.96	0.00	62.04	1,638.00
	Sub-Total	**$19,679.60**	**$0.00**	**$358.20**	**$20,038.00**
SUPPORT					
5230	Clerk	450.00	0.00	0.00	450.00
5231	Treasurer	625.00	0.00	0.00	625.00
5232	Temporary Secretarial	463.50	0.00	86.50	550.00
5330	Associational Speakers	450.00	0.00	(150.00)	300.00
5331	Church Secretaries Association	30.50	0.00	69.50	100.00
5332	Convention Expense	1,167.05	0.00	932.95	2,100.00
5333	Equipment	3,486.34	0.00	(186.34)	3,300.00
5340	Library/Media/Audio Visuals	437.59	0.00	(137.59)	300.00
5351	Historical Committee	0.00	0.00	100.00	100.00
5360	Newsletter	302.60	0.00	97.40	400.00
5361	Newsletter Postage	1,350.00	0.00	(150.00)	1,200.00
5362	Office Supplies	1,532.76	32.90	(499.86)	1,000.00
5363	Office Postage	1,665.52	87.44	221.92	1,800.00
5364	Printing of Minutes	1,466.00	0.00	34.00	1,500.00
5370	Telephone	1,204.22	24.71	(179.51)	1,000.00
5384	Minister's Conference	649.20	250.00	0.80	400.00
	Sub-Total	**$15,280.28**	**$395.05**	**$239.77**	**$15,125.00**

Acct. No.	Item	Disbursements YTD	Received YTD	Balance YTD	2001-2002 Budget
TRAINING/EQUIPPING SUPPORT					
5401	Brotherhood	316.41	0.00	183.59	500.00
5402	Discipleship Training	75.04	0.00	24.96	100.00
5403	**Evangelism**	3,370.55	2,870.55	0.00	500.00
5404	Key Leadership Conference	210.77	0.00	89.23	300.00
5405	Music	0.00	0.00	200.00	200.00
5406	Sunday School	0.00	0.00	250.00	250.00
5420	VBS	442.17	0.00	57.83	500.00
5430	WMU	135.00	0.00	515.00	650.00
5440	Youth	59.49	0.00	140.51	200.00
5450	Senior Adults	400.00	0.00	200.00	600.00
5460	Single Adults	0.00	0.00	100.00	100.00
5470	Missions Development Council	0.00	0.00	200.00	200.00
	Sub-Total	**$5,009.43**	**$2,870.55**	**$1,961.12**	**$4,100.00**
ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICE SUPPORT					
5510	Insurance	1,207.50	0.00	92.50	1,300.00
5520	Maintenance	384.00	0.00	1,616.00	2,000.00
5521	Custodial Services	360.00	0.00	190.00	550.00
5522	Office Yard Service	0.00	0.00	350.00	350.00
5530	Utilities	2,397.11	0.00	(397.11)	2,000.00
5531	Office Equipment	3,093.41	128.04	34.63	3,000.00
	Sub-Total	**$7,442.02**	**$128.04**	**$1,886.02**	**$9,200.00**
OTHER SUPPORT					
	DOM Moving Expense	5,397.10	0.00	(5,397.10)	0.00
5610	Miscellaneous	3,046.81	0.00	453.19	3,500.00
5620	Rollins-DOM Conf. Expense	150.00	0.00	150.00	150.00
	Sub-Total	**$8,593.91**	**$0.00**	**($4,793.91)**	**$3,650.00**
	TOTALS	**$168,048.59**	**$16,463.88**	**($6,725.71)**	**$144,859.00**
Adjustment for Taxes Payable		(45.94)			
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS		**$168,002.65**			

$1,987.50 from Line Item 5403 was transferred to Designated Line Item #11
$13,674.26 from Line Item 5122 was transferred to Designated Line Item #15
(See explanation on Designated Funds Report)

CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED - SEPTEMBER 1, 2000 THRU AUGUST 31, 2001										
REPORT ENDING DATE: AUGUST 31, 2001										
	01	02	03	06	12A	13	15	16	22	23
Churches	Assoc.	Minutes	Youth	Handy-	Church	Christian	New	Hispanic	Leisure	St.Missions
	Program			man	Planter	Act.Ctr	Work	Mission	Ministry	BSCNC
Abbotts Creek	6,375.00	57.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Amity	440.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Carolina Mem	14,847.44	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cedar Lodge	1,300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Center Hill	1,200.00	45.00	0.00	0.00	150.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Central	747.85	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Churchland	2,400.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Clearview	200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Coggins Mem	10,590.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	225.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Colonial	3,893.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Denton, 1st	3,785.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Faith	550.00	55.00	0.00	0.00	450.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Floyd	300.00	30.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Greenwood	2,500.00	25.00	0.00	687.52	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Hasty	520.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
High Rock	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Hillside Park	1,100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Holloways	1,952.58	21.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Jersey	4,500.00	9.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Lakeview	509.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Lexington, 1st	7,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Liberty	3,260.29	60.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Lick Creek	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mills Home	447.93	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mountain View	1,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
New Friendship	3,975.88	30.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
North Lex	1,200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Oak Hill Mem	3,500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Oakhurst	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Park Place	9,280.11	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Reeds	8,394.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Rich Fork	6,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Smith Grove	2,250.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Southgate	7,367.13	0.00	0.00	0.00	225.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Southside	3,258.81	15.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Stoners Grove	800.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Summerville	2,794.67	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Thomasville, 1st	3,545.52	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Trinity	1,787.18	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Victory	440.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Wallburg	2,000.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Welcome, 1st	10,543.29	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mision Bautista	87.51	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Others	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Baptist St.Conv	0.00	0.00	700.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,002.64	1366.64	0.00
Interest	3,738.38	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Organizations	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Individuals	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Refunds	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
TOTALS	$140,480.99	$347.00	$700.00	$1,087.52	$1,050.00	$0.00	$0.00	$4,002.64	$1,366.64	$0.00

	25	26	30	31	32	35	36		
Churches	Camb.	Prison	Toy	Prisoner	Literature	Hurr.	Building	Des.Budget	All
	Mission	Sem.	Store	Gifts	Dist.	Floyd	Fund	Receipts	Income
Abbotts Creek	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	250.00	6,682.00
Amity	0.00	0.00	0.00	40.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	93.00	573.00
Carolina Mem	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	50.00	14,897.44
Cedar Lodge	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,400.00
Center Hill	0.00	0.00	0.00	50.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,445.00
Central	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	747.85
Churchland	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,400.00
Clearview	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	200.00
Coggins Mem	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	10,915.00
Colonial	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,893.00
Denton, 1st	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,785.00
Faith	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,055.00
Floyd	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	330.00
Greenwood	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	112.48	3,325.00
Hasty	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	820.00
High Rock	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00
Hillside Park	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	125.00	1,225.00
Holloways	0.00	0.00	0.00	200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	50.00	2,223.58
Jersey	0.00	0.00	20.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,496.05	6,025.05
Lakeview	0.00	0.00	0.00	82.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	500.00	1,091.03
Lexington, 1st	0.00	0.00	0.00	60.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,000.00	8,060.00
Liberty	0.00	0.00	5.00	49.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,374.29
Lick Creek	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	500.00	500.00
Mills Home	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	447.93
Mountain View	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,000.00
New Friendship	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,005.88
North Lex	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,200.00
Oak Hill Mem	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,500.00
Oakhurst	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Park Place	0.00	0.00	0.00	150.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	9,430.11
Reeds	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	20.00	8,439.35
Rich Fork	0.00	0.00	0.00	71.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,035.00	7,106.00
Smith Grove	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	75.00	2,325.00
Southgate	0.00	0.00	0.00	39.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	7,631.13
Southside	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,298.81
Stoners Grove	0.00	0.00	200.00	200.00	20.00	0.00	0.00	91.50	1,611.50
Summerville	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,794.67
Thomasville, 1st	0.00	0.00	0.00	55.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,700.52
Trinity	0.00	0.00	0.00	131.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	2,018.68
Victory	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	440.00
Wallburg	0.00	0.00	0.00	35.00	25.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,060.04
Welcome, 1st	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	10,543.29
Mision Bautista	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	87.51
Others	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Baptist St.Conv.	666.66	776.50	0.00	1,000.00	0.00	0.00	6,337.40	3,915.07	18,764.91
Interest	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,738.38
Organizations	0.00	44.00	0.00	150.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	194.00
Individuals	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00	0.00	0.00	2,277.44	2,302.44
Refunds	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,473.34	4,473.34
TOTALS	$666.66	$820.50	$325.00	$2,462.50	$70.00	$0.00	$6,337.40	$16,463.88	$176,180.73

MEMORIALS - LISTING OF DECEASED CHURCH MEMBERS

September 1, 2000 through August 31, 2001

"Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints." Psalm 116:15

"Be thou faithful unto death, and I will give the a crown of life." Rev. 2:10b

Abbotts Creek
Mr. John Allred
Mrs. Ruth Bodenhamer
Mr. Hubert Craven
Mrs. Edith Hood
Mrs. Ellen Ingram
Mrs. Dorothy Patterson
Mr. Joe Smith, Deacon
Mr. John Welborn, Jr.

Carolina Memorial
Mrs. Linnie Beck
Mrs. Ida Rea Collins
Mrs. Jimmie Ruth Copley
Mr. Edmond Davis
Mr. Jerry Gallimore, Deacon
Mrs. Myrtle Kirkman
Mrs. Grady Mendenhall
Mr. Ben Smith
Mr. Joe Strider
Mrs. Naomi Suggs
Mrs. Miriam Traynham
Mr. Tim Turner

Center Hill
Mr. Harold Barnes
Mrs. Linda Blackwell
Mrs. Hilda Davie
Miss Magdalene Jarrett
Mrs. Pattie Laws

Churchland
Mrs. Lena Barnhardt
Mr. George Greene
Mrs. Gloria McBride
Mrs. Dot Troxel

Clearview
Mrs. Emma Ledford

Coggins Memorial
Mr. Hoyt Allen
Mr. James Holder
Mr. Troy Mitchel, Deacon
Mr. Grover Owens, Deacon
Mrs. Pearl Stiers
Mrs. Geraldine Troutman
Mr. Don White

Colonial
Mrs. Flossie Hartley
Mrs. Nancy King

Denton, First
Mrs. Pride S. Gallimore

Denton, First - continued
Mrs. Nannie H. Snider
Mr. James Weddington, Deacon

Floyd
Mr. Jonah (Pete) Ingram

Greenwood
Mr. Joe Callahan
Mrs. Muriel Craver
Mrs. Addie Mabe
Mrs. Marie Sink

Hasty
Mrs. Rosa Beck
Mrs. Mildred Moore
Mr. David Taylor, Jr.

Hillside Park
Mr. C. B. Betenbaugh
Mr. Roland Kindley
Mr. Lee Moore, Deacon

Holloways
Miss Crystal Hurley
Mr. Robert Hunt
Mrs. Ruby Littleton
Mrs. Rema M. Sisk
Mr. Ronnie Smith

Jersey
Mr. Lewis Coppley, Sr.
Mr. Alfred Hodge
Mrs. Grace Laughlin
Mrs. Edna Coppley Waller

Lakeview
Mrs. Rosie Mae Ashby
Mr. Charlie Owens, Deacon
Mr. John Peeler, Deacon

Lexington, First
Mr. Joe Blackwelder
Mrs. Mildred Byrd
Ms. Patty Delskey
Mr. Robert Flippin
Mrs. Virginia Hough
Mr. Victor Kirkman, Sr.
Mrs. Etta Martin
Ms Marie Moore
Mrs. Sarah Myers
Mr. Jerry Tesh
Mr. Joe "Buck" Tysinger

Liberty
Mrs. Carrie Ball
Mr. Mark Glover

Liberty - continued
Mr. Hoyt Luther
Mr. Ben May
Mrs. Gladys Pack
Ms. Frances Priddy
Mrs. Ella Mae Wilson

Mountain View:
Mrs. Pauline Briggs
Mr. Terry Floyd

New Friendship
Mr. Rosa Atkinson
Mr. Calvin Hines
Mr. Nathan Holden
Mrs. Dallas Lewis

North Lexington
Mr. Max Benfield
Mrs. Zella Gillespie
Mrs. Gladys Morgan
Mr. James Myers

Oak Hill Memorial
Mr. Henry Wray

Park Place
Mrs. Ruby Culp
Mrs. Pauline Jones
Mrs. Olene Messer

Reeds
Mr. John Campbell
Mrs. Minnie Carter
Mr. Dan Craver
Mr. Jack Craver
Mrs. Daphne Hedrick
Mrs. Beulah Kepley
Mr. Belton Koontz
Mr. Danny Koontz
Mrs. Nellie Myers
Mrs. Nume Owens
Mrs. Magdelene Shoaf
Mr. Roy Sink

Rich Fork
Mrs. Jean Ball
Mr. John Buckner, Jr.
Mr. Charles Eddinger
Mrs. Annie R. Glover
Mrs. Lottie Haltom
Mr. Gerald Hunt
Mrs. Nannie Kanoy
Mr. James Payne
Miss Hazel Sizemore
Mr. Albert Stamey
Rev. Inman L. Stewart
Ms. Marilyn Withers
Mrs. Irene Yates

Smith Grove
Mr. Wayne Ludwig, Deacon
Mrs. Evelyn Orrell
Mrs. Mildred Snider

Southgate
Mrs. Cindy Kennedy

Southside
Mr. Rayvon Byerly
Mrs. Sandy Wall Idol
Mr. Dewitt Minish
Mr. J. D. Williams

Stoner's Grove
Mr. Darrell Kyles
Mrs. Beatrice Sink

Summerville
Mrs. Sybil Best
Mr. Walter Bivens
Mrs. Joann Davis Pope

Thomasville, First
Mr. Elmo Allgood, Deacon
Mr. Al Boyles (Non-Resident)
Ms. Nonnie Ceredon
Mrs. Eloise Clary
Mr. Bill Clodfelter
Mrs. Theora Davis (Non-Resident)
Mrs. Cassie Diggs
Mrs. Dot Gantt
Mr. Clyde Grant
Mrs. Joyce Hart
Mrs. Gladys Hepler
Mrs. Sara Kennedy
Mr. Raymond Myers
Ms. Grace Padgett
Mr. Allen Royal
Mrs. May Stringfield (Non-Resident)
Mr. Everett Swaim, Deacon

Victory
Mr. Malette (Mac) Hedgepeth
Mr. Bill Jones

Wallburg
Mr. Carlyle Cox
Mr. Larry Garrison
Mrs. Pansy Hines
Mrs. Adalaide Shaw

Welcome, First
Mrs. Pam Ball
Mr. Donald Johnson
Mr. J. W. Snider

MISSIONS DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE REPORT

The following Cooperative Agreements for 2002 were approved for our ongoing ministries:

Student Ministry at Davidson County Community College	$ 500.00
Youth Ministry Projects (Christmas float, festival events, etc.)	$ 600.00
Leisure Ministry-High Rock Lake	$1,000.00
Davidson Correctional Center-Chaplain Lee	$1,000.00
Prison Gift Ministry	$1,000.00
Hispanic Mission Assistance	$4,000.00
Student Summer Evangelism (pending employment of students)	$3,000.00

The ***JESUS: The Light of the World*** simultaneous revivals are scheduled for **October 21-24, 2001**! There are **24 churches** who have notified the associational office that they plan to participate. If you are one of those churches who has not notified the LBA office, please call and give your information. There are still some flash lights available in the LBA office ($ .50 each) to give to people when inviting them to come to the revivals meetings. Door hangers are also available.

The North American Mission Board has notified us that we have been approved for the ***On Mission Celebration*** to take place **October 27-30, 2002.** We will receive ten International, ten North American and six state speakers. Please be discussing this in your churches and decide if you church will participate. Each participating church will receive an On Mission Celebration Resource Notebook and two OMC posters.

Two mission trips are being planned for 2002: **Honduras-April 11-20, 2002** and **Alaska-July 11-20, 2002**. We have received information from Mark Abernathy, NC Baptist Men, about those projects which are available in Alaska. At the next meeting of the Missions Development Committee, a specific project will be chosen and information will be sent to the pastors and Brotherhood Directors of each church.

It is especially crucial at this time that we **Pray** for the leaders of our country and those who are making decisions which will affect the future of America. **Pray** that they will seek God's guidance and depend on His leadership. **Pray** for those who have lost loved ones, that they may experience the peace of God. **Pray** that Americans will return to God and demonstrate the love of God so that all nations will see and know that we are "one nation, under God!" Lets all **Pray** together!!

Pray for the leaders of Liberty Baptist Association: Director of Missions, Moderator, Vice Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Committee Chairpersons, and all those who serve on committees. It takes all of these and all of the members of our churches to make our efforts successful. Our purpose and our goal is to give honor and glory to the Lord Jesus Christ!

Gary Myers, Chairman

SEAMEN'S CENTER
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Dear Friends of the Seamen's Ministry:

"Those outside the maritime world are generally unaware of the importance of merchant shipping or of the underside of the industry. Ships like storms 'go safely out to sea' and are quickly forgotten, yet they transport 95% of the trade between nations and are the primary medium for the international exchange of goods. Ships hold the global *economy* together, carrying billions of tons of cargo each year to thousands of ports."

These ships are operated by some 1.2 million seafarers representing virtually every country in the world. From time immemorial men - and now women - "have gone down to the sea in ships" and have done so for a variety of reasons. Adventure, escape, financial gain, impressment, economic necessity, and doubtless other factors have directed them into such a calling. My observation in working with modern day seafarers from many countries over a long period of time, however, is that economic necessity is the primary motivation for a life at sea. They simply need the money! We may not realize it but the people manning these vessels so essential to the economic well being of the world may be among the most exploited work groups in modern society.

In his book entitled "Trouble on Board," written in the early 90's, Dr. Paul Chapman documents the findings of extensive research into the worldwide shipping industry as it affects seafarers. He found an endless number of ways in which today's merchant seafarers are abused. These include, but are not limited to, contract disputes, wage abuses, problems regarding termination and transportation back home, harrassment on board, and reprisals following complaints. He cites numerous examples of seafarers' exploitation, many instances so harsh as to be untenable in a civilized society.

Listening to seafarers' complaints about many such problems, coupled with hundreds of ship visitations over the past 14 years, confirms my belief that there is indeed a lot of "Trouble on Board." In the 90' s crew sizes have been reduced from about 30 to about 20 persons, increasing the likelihood of over work, fatigue, and the probability of injury becoming more acute. Radio officers have been eliminated from nearly all ships, some of which are old, and sometimes in poor repair. Living conditions aboard many are far from ideal: too hot, too cold, dirty, dingy, and drab-shabby. I am happy and would hasten to say, however, that many of the ships visiting our port are modern, well equipped and offered pleasant living and relatively safe working environments. I could wish all of them were so.

These seafarers are the primary clientele of the Seamen's Service Ministry. The year 2000 was a good year for the Ministry at the Morehead City State Port. The New Center has been occupied for over five years now and proved to be well suited for its intended purposes. Both volunteers and seafarers enjoy a comfortable and pleasing environment. Nearly all the volunteers have faithfully served for many years, some of them since the inception of the Ministry in 1971. They have entertained thousands of seafarers, providing them a warm welcome in a home-like atmosphere far from their own homes and families. These strangers representing many diverse cultures and speaking many different languages respond quite positively to the friendship and services available to them.

Almost every ship that docks has a personal visit to welcome the crew, share information, and invite them to the Seamen's Center. Sometimes this occurs over a cup of coffee in the crew mess

where personal contact is established. These contacts carry over into the Center where they come after work or between duty hours .

Nearly every seaman wants to call home during the brief periods at dock. Establishing voice contact with wives, children, family members, and sweethearts provides an emotional oasis in what frequently may be a desert of monotonously repetitive duties and sometimes even hostile conditions on shipboard. The closed society of a ship usually offers only limited opportunities to break the cycle of a lot of time, a lot of work, and an awful lot of water. The isolation of individuals or small groups of differing nationalities on the same crew serves to exacerbate the loneliness of weeks at sea with no sight of land and without contact with family. The majority of seafarers are married and have children, but sad to say their time at home would amount to only about six years out of a tenure of 30 years at sea. The Chinese seafarers, more and more of whom are coming to our port, by government decree can have only one child. The Filipinos, who comprise a majority of seafarers in the world, are more likely to have several children in their households along with various other relatives. In many cases allotments from meager salaries (by U.S. Standards very meager) are vital to an extended family group's well being.

During the past year our volunteers made some 4,000 contacts with the seafarers from approximately 200 ships that docked at the Morehead City Port. Many of them rode our van to the shopping centers where their hard-earned dollars enriched the local economy. After several months at sea, even if their salaries are small, they are anxious to spend accumulated cash to make purchases for their personal needs and buy something for their families. This year, as every year, area churches collected toilet articles, knit caps, socks, work gloves, writing materials, etc., and some 250 personal gift packages were assembled and given to the seafarers during the Christmas Season. Over 700 Bibles and Gospel tapes along with a great deal of devotional literature, books and magazines, were distributed to them. They also enjoyed coffee, tea, home-made cookies, and other free snacks while visiting the Center.

The people who started the Seamen's Ministry here almost 30 years ago probably knew very little about life aboard the ships. What they did know was that they were concerned about the strangers in our midst and wanted to reach out to share the Gospel of Christ with them and meet whatever other needs they could. The Seamen's Ministry was born and since that time the staff and volunteers, supported by area churches, higher church courts, civic groups, and a wide range of individuals, have had tens of thousands of contacts with seafarers, distributed thousands of Bibles in English and a wide variety of foreign languages, placed thousands of telephone calls, posted myriads of letters, distributed thousands of catalogs, magazines and books, several barrels of coffee, and untold numbers of cookies. They have welcomed; they have listened; and they have responded many ways not enumerated here.

The year 2001 will mark the 30th year of continuous operation seeking to provide something of a home away from home through a mission to foreigners right here at home. This Ministry has, from the beginning, existed by the support, encouragement, and services of many people locally and around the state. We owe all of our support mechanism, especially the Center volunteers, a great debt of gratitude for ourselves and the thousands of seafarers who have benefitted from the Seamen's Ministry in this place.

If you would like further information, or if you would like to schedule a visit to the Center, please write or call. Your support, your interest, and your prayers are greatly appreciated.

T. L. Lee, Director of Ministry

FOUNDED 1971
AN ECUMENICAL MINISTRY TO INTERNATIONAL SEAFARERS
CHARTER BY STATE OF NC - APPROVED BY I.R.S. FOR TAX DEDUCTIBLE DONATIONS

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT

Vacation Bible School continues to be a special arm of ministry to all ages. Within a brief span of time a significant amount of time is focused on Bible Study and Mission Emphasis. VBS also has proven to be a great evangelistic arm of the church.

A total of 210 workers from 23 of our churches attended the initial training events, which brought wonderful results. A total of **37 churches** from Liberty Baptist Association reported conducting **43 Vacation Bible Schools** this year with a **total enrollment of 5,047** (our goal for 2001 was 5,000). A total of **139 professions of faith** were reported through VBS. In the Convention, one fourth of all baptisms have came through Vacation Bible School in recent years. Thank you to each church and all workers who have given themselves in service through Vacation Bible School this year!

I wish to express my appreciation to those who served on the Associational VBS Team this year. This Team did an excellent job of preparing for and leading the VBS Training Clinic in May. We had the largest attendance at the Training events this year that we have had in the past Ten Years.

It has been a special blessing to serve as the Vacation Bible School Director for the Liberty Baptist Association through the last few years. Thank you for your prayers, work, and support of this arm of ministry. As our New Director leads us into the future, let us renew our commitment to the work of Vacation Bible School.

Respectfully submitted,
Stuart White, Associational VBS Director

VOLUNTEER MISSIONS/PARTNERSHIP COMMITTEE REPORT

With Liberty Baptist Churches out to change the world, this report reflects on our mission statement of being spirit led to help carry out the great commission. We have attempted to learn some of the efforts of missions beyond our individual church areas. Rather than listing the churches involved as we had hoped to do (fear of leaving some out), we will attempt to give a summary of activities.

Almost every church participated in community and or country-wide mission efforts. Such outreach helped with the dental van, Hispanic work, Thresher's Reunion, Habitat for Humanity, plus many others. A dozen or more reached out to the Grifton area of eastern North Carolina in rebuilding homes. Many churches found other mission needs in the state and responded to them while others went to neighboring states, South Carolina, Tennessee, West Virginia, and Kentucky. Christian adults and youth were parts of mission outreach in East St. Louis (five or six churches formed a team) and Alaska. Numerous churches saw their outreach extend to Honduras. Some of the other known destinations were Belize, Thailand, New York, Florida, South Africa, Pennsylvania, Ukraine, Mexico, Germany, Romania, Washington State, and Nicaragua.

We were not able to determine the number of mission volunteers and may have not learned the exact number of churches but we had about thirty reporting outreach beyond the confines of Davidson, Randolph, or Forsyth County.

A few churches were involved in a mission effort known as Operation In As Much. This is based on Matthew 25:40 *"Whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did for me."* (NIV). Since the committee is presenting a request to the Mission Development Council that we try this county-wide sometime in 2002, we will give a brief description of what is involved at the end of this report.

2002 Mission Projects for Liberty Baptist Association

1. **Honduras** - The State Convention office has assigned us the week of **April 11-20**. We should know what the request involves in early January.
2. **Alaska - July-11-20**. We will know details in early January.
3. **West Virginia** - There are ongoing needs for help in VBS, pastors to serve small churches, some church building and many other avenues for assisting. Our Associational Missionary has more details on this.
4. **East St. Louis** - Betty Bradshaw will be leading a team to work at the Christian Activity Center the week of **June 15-21**.
5. **Upper New York State** - Help will be needed here in the early spring. We will know by early January more details on this.

6. **Eastern North Carolina** - Still need homes built and repair work done.

These are projects that we know are open to our Association. We are interested in knowing what our individual churches are doing in addition to these.

There are two recommendations we are making to the Mission Development Council:

1. That we consider sending our Associational Missionary and his wife to Alaska in August of 2002. Their assignment would be to work in a Native Camp. There will also be need for counselors. Betsy Leach will have information concerning this.
2. That we consider an associational-wide mission blitz, **Operation In As Much**, sometime in 2002. Operation In As Much can be defined as a mission blitz by the churches to meet needs in the immediate community. The idea is to learn of needs that a person or group of people could deal with in one day (or less). Efforts could be made to learn of such needs such as feeding the homeless for one meal, prepare a meal for the local police department or firemen who are on duty at the time. It could involve general repair or clean up around or in homes where things need to be done. This could be assisting church members with needs or for any others in the community. Every church would have such community needs. Think of all the good that forty-two churches and one Hispanic Mission could do in one day!

Respectfully submitted,
Roy Cantrell, 2000-2001 Chairman

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May 1, 2001 - April 30, 2002

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WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION REPORT

We are looking forward to the **Prayer Retreat** at **Mundo Vista** on **October 26th and 27th**. Ruth Jackson will be the leader. There are already 30 people registered and we can still take more, if anyone is interested. Those who are participating will surely receive a blessing.

The **Christmas Prison Gift Ministry** still needs a chairperson. If you do not feel you can be chairman, but would like to help, please pray about this and let me know as soon as possible. We must begin work very soon. This is an important ministry and we don't want to lose the opportunity to minister to those people in our area who are "behind the fences." We do not want donations of various items, but financial donations since we can purchase most of the items in bulk. We have also been asked to make all of the gift bags identical, which is impossible if we have so many various sizes and containers. Send any donations to the association office and designate for "prison gift ministry."

The **Toy Store Ministry** will minister to children from birth through 16 years of age. We have a great need for items for teenagers. In the past we have accepted used toys, but unfortunately, because we received so many damaged and soiled items, now we need to accept only new toys, games, etc. Bring them to the associational office or contact Esther House (475-3980) to take them to Southside Baptist Church. These toys will be distributed at Christmas and are also available during emergency situations throughout the year. Applications are available at the associational office and the deadline is November 21, 2001. Financial donations may also be made to the associational office, designated "Toy Store Ministry."

May we labor as *"Partners in the Harvest"* this year to keep our WMU on the move for Christ!

Janet Sharpe
Associational WMU Director

YOUTH MINISTRIES COMMITTEE REPORT

Our first **Youth Explosion Service (Y.E.S.)** was a great success! It was held June 29th at Hillside Park Baptist Church. We had approximately 125 in attendance. The service was lead by our youth in a variety of ways. Welcome First performed 3 dramas, Hillside Park performed a drama, Carolina Memorial youth signing choir performed a song, the Full Gospel Holiness youth choir and dowel rod team rounded out our evening of worship. *Cry of Jabez* was our musical group. Praise and Worship was led by Bill Salley of Liberty Baptist Church and the message was brought by Tim Landreth of Carolina Memorial.

The Youth Ministries Committee has had a wonderful summer. The **Y.E.S.** Rally held on July 27th attracted 215 to North Davidson High School. We had several of our association churches participate as our youth led in the worship service. I would like to encourage more of our churches to get involved in these services because it provides a way for our youth to share their love of Christ with each other.

I would like to thank all who serveed on the Youth Ministries Committee this past year, and for making my responsibilities easier. Those either serving on the committee or being willing workers this year were Michael Sullivan, First Baptist Church, Welcome; Angie Brinkley, Carolina Memorial Baptist Church; Bill Salley, Liberty Baptist Church; Bill Womack, Hillside Park Baptist Church; Chris Noland, Smith Grove Baptist Church; and Kristie Foster, Faith Baptist Church.

Tim Landreth, 2000-2001 Chairman
Youth Ministries Committee.

BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION OF NC REPORTS

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT
2001

The Annuity Office of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina in partnership with the Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention provides services related to retirement planning, financial support of ministers and other church employees, life and health insurance, ministry to seminary/divinity students, and church/clergy tax issues. These services are provided in a variety of ways to churches and church employees.

As a result of an expanded mission statement and two new ministry assignments given to the Annuity Board in 2000, the year 2001 is proving to be one of transition. Specifically, much of the Board's work during 2001 has focused on preparing to offer personal investing and institutional investments with the accompanying need for all the investment funds to be registered during this year. Despite a disappointing year in the financial markets, ten of the fourteen Annuity Board investment funds out-performed their benchmark for the year. More specifically, all six equity funds and all four blended funds exceeded benchmark returns while all four fixed income select funds under-performed.

Insurance continues to be one of the greatest challenges as the Annuity Board continually seeks to maintain viable products for participants. New insurance products and services have been developed and plans outlined for implementation. Two new Medicare supplement plans were designed and implemented. The Annuity Board paid more than $139 million in insurance benefits last year.

The Endowment Ministry, designed to give support to retired ministers, denominational employees and their widows with special needs, enjoyed a banner year. The relief ministry reached a record monetary level as $5.3 million was distributed to needy retired ministers and widows. Guidelines for the Adopt An Annuitant ministry were revised to allow more applicants to qualify for the gift.

As of May 31, 2001, there were 4,842 active participants in the retirement plan with 62% of our North Carolina churches participating. The number of persons receiving retirement benefits has increased to 2,815 with another 361 being assisted through the Adopt An Annuitant ministry plan.

It is our strong desire to serve all of our churches, ministers, and church employees. For more information related to products or services, call the Baptist State Convention of NC at 1-800-395 - 5102 extension 174, visit our Web site at www.bscnc.org, or call the Annuity Board at 1-800-262-051 1 or visit the Annuity Board Web site at www.absbc.org.

Respectfully submitted,
Johnny Ross, Senior Consultant

Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina

Baptist Children's Homes serves record number of children. In 2000, Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina served a record 2,000 children and more than 1,600 families statewide. BCH operates residential campuses in Thomasville, Pembroke, Kinston and Clyde, a maternity home in Asheville, a teen mother/baby home in Lenoir, value change homes for boys and girls in Franklin and Asheville and for girls in Lenoir, a wilderness camp for boys in Cameron, emergency care cottages at each of the residential campuses and in Waynesville, and a model day care in Thomasville.

Children tell their stories during Baptist State Convention report. Standing ovations, applause and heartfelt hugs greeted the children and staff at their 30-minute presentation during the 2000 Baptist State Convention in Winston-Salem. More than 130 BCH children, child care workers and staff sang, shared their stories and said "thank you" to the approximately 4,500 messengers attending the Tuesday afternoon session. Messengers heard the special testimonies from Citadel graduating senior and former Broyhill Home resident
Jason Davis and Hannah Adams' mother Donna. Hannah has participated in both the 2000 and 2001 BCH Respite Camp for Developmentally Disabled Adults.

Jason Davis thanks messengers. Jason was featured in the 1995 Baptist Children's Homes report to the convention. At that time he was 17 and dreamed of a career in the Air Force. During his testimony at the 2000 convention, Jason appeared in the full dress uniform of The Citadel. He reminded messengers that if it had not been for their care and support he could have never realized his dream. He told messengers that he credited them for the opportunities he has known. Jason said he plans to always come back to visit the children and just as others gave to help him, he would give to help the other children who would come to BCH after him. Upon his graduation from The Citadel in May 2001, Jason Davis was commissioned as a Lieutenant in the United States Air Force.

Donna Adams claims Developmental Disabilities Ministry an answer to prayer. The final testimony of the BCH presentation was not given by a child, but by a mother. Donna Adams of Laurinburg strained to maintain her composure as she shared how BCH's new ministry for developmentally disabled adults was the answer to her prayers. Adam's daughter Hannah suffered brain damage as an infant. Today, Hannah is a beautiful young woman. Donna said she is comforted in knowing North Carolina Baptists and the Baptist Children's Homes would be there as her family plan for Hannah's future. She thanked messengers on behalf of other parents and families of developmentally disabled children for their support and commitment to this ministry.

North Carolina Baptists reach $1,000,000 Thanksgiving Offering goal. Because of the support of Baptist churches all across North Carolina, Baptist Children's Homes met the 2000 Thanksgiving Offering goal of $1,000,000. The goal was record for the agency. BCH president Michael C. Blackwell said he was "enormously gratified at this outpouring response." Baptist Children's Homes is grateful to all North Carolina Baptists who committed themselves to help meet this challenging goal.

First Baptist Church of Salisbury sets goal they couldn't reach. Interim pastor Dr. Dale Steel said collecting a church record of $ 18,300 for the 2000 Thanksgiving Offering was fun. Dr. Steel recounted the meetings that led to setting the church's goal at 1% of the total BCH goal of $1 million or $10,000. In 1999, the church gave approximately $3,500. The church's leadership decided to set a goal they could not reach on their own. Leading with prayer and a commitment to meet their goal,

the church watched as they passed their goal and reached their record amount. One month after receiving the record Thanksgiving Offering, the First Baptist Church of Salisbury collected the third-largest Lottie Moon ingathering in 11 years. Dr. Steel credits the church's vision, enthusiasm and determination to do their part for missions as being the key to their success.

BCH breaks ground on two new DDM homes, and dedicates new children's cottage in Marshville. In June, Baptist Children's Homes broke ground for two new group homes for developmentally disabled adults in Winston-Salem. The homes - Davis House and Hinkle House - are being built adjacent to BCH's Baptist House at Bethabara and will open in early 2002. The R. P and Ella Mae Stegall Home was dedicated August 19, 2001. The new group home is located in Marshville and provides residential care for nine boys.

New Millennium Families* study guide offered to churches.** The study guide to accompany Dr. Michael C. Blackwell's book ***New Millennium Families is being made available to churches for group Bible studies this fall. Dr. Blackwell believes BCH can help strengthen families in North Carolina Baptist churches and is committed to providing the necessary resources. Dr. Blackwell's new book, ***A Place for Miracles,*** is a history of Baptist Children's Homes, and will be available in late 2001 .

BCH anticipates another record Thanksgiving Offering. The 2001 Thanksgiving Offering goal is $1,100,000. This represents a $100,000 increase over last year's record-setting amount. The number may seem enormous, but there is an enormous need. Children and families turn to BCH broken, battered and burdened. But with the help of North Carolina Baptists, BCH shows them God's love. BCH is counting on North Carolina Baptist churches to help meet this important goal during this time of economic uncertainty. Call 1-800-476-3669, ext. 1209 to order promotional material, the new Thanksgiving Offering video, last
year's BCH Convention Presentation video or to request a speaker to tell the BCH story in person.

The support of North Carolina Baptists through the Thanksgiving Offering, Cooperative Program, church-designated and individual gifts, memorials, honors, and estate gifts enables us to fulfill our mission statement: "helping hurting children...healing broken families.

BCH is grateful for North Carolina Baptists' prayers and support.

Respectfully submitted by,
Michael C. Blackwell, President
Sandy Saunders, Chairman
Board of Trustees

BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES

OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC.

PROUDLY SERVING OLDER ADULTS SINCE 1951

For Your Information

FACT SHEET

WHAT IS BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES?

Founded in 1951, Baptist Retirement Homes of North Carolina, Inc. (BRH) is one of North Carolina's most respected providers of long-term care. With four retirement communities throughout the state, BRH provides all levels of care for Older Adults, including special programs for conditions such as Alzheimer's Disease. The Homes' new continuing care retirement community called The Gardens of Taylor Glen is under development near Charlotte. BRH also owns and operates a home health program that provides certified nursing and therapy services to homebound individuals. Baptist Retirement Homes is a not-for-profit organization affiliated with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina.

ARE RESIDENTS OF BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES PRIMARILY BAPTISTS?

At the Brookridge Community, 60% of the resident population is Baptist. About 80% of the resident population of the Western North Carolina Baptist Home is Baptist. The Taylor House and the Hamilton Baptist Home are primarily, composed of Baptist residential populations.

WHAT IS THE COST OF SERVICES? ARE FINANCIAL RESOURCES AVAILABLE FOR THOSE WHO CANNOT PAY?

Fees vary, according to facilities and the level of care chosen or required by residents. A full schedule of fees for each facility is available upon request. There are no entrance fees associated with any of the health-related facilities owned and operated by Baptist Retirement Homes. The Hamilton Baptist Home and The Taylor House are among the few not-for-profit, church-related, long-term care facilities in North Carolina with no financial requirements for admission. Contributions received from the Baptist State Convention Cooperative Program, the North Carolina Offering for Older Adults, and from local Baptist churches across the state are used exclusively to help BRH provide care for those Older Adults in either assisted living or nursing care who are unable to pay the full cost of the services they need.

DOES THE BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION OF NORTH CAROLINA SUPPORT BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES?

Baptist Retirement Homes is affiliated with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina but is a separate and distinct corporate entity. Messengers of the churches that compose the Baptist State Convention elect BRH Board members. In 1999, funds received from the Convention Cooperative Program, the North Carolina Offering for Older Adults, and local Baptist churches totaled approximately $1.6 million. All of those monies are being used to support Older Adults living in assisted living or nursing care who lack sufficient financial resources to pay for the care they receive.

WHERE ARE BRH FACILITIES LOCATED AND WHAT SERVICES DO THEY OFFER?

The Brookridge Retirement Community in Winston-Salem is a 44-acre continuing care retirement community, established in 1989. Brookridge offers its 300 residents independent and assisted living and nursing care services. Accommodations range from garden homes to apartments to assisted living and nursing care at the Prince Nursing Center. The Brookridge Transitional Care Unit opened in 1995, offering post-acute medical care on site. Home health care is also available on site through In Home Care, Inc., a Baptist Retirement Homes affiliate. Brookridge is a full-service retirement community, offering meal service, nursing services, recreational activities, housekeeping, religious activities, dementia services, a water therapy/exercise center, and more. For more information, contact:

Brookridge Retirement Community
1199Hayes Forest Drive - Winston-Salem, NC 27106 - 336-759-1044 *(FAX) 336-759-7389 - Web site: www.brh.org*

The Western North Carolina Baptist Home (WNCBH) is located all a 22-acre tract atop Richmond Hill in northwest Asheville. The Home offers residents assisted living and nursing care. Established in 1979, the Home was recently renovated and expanded to accommodate 150 residents. WNCBH is a full service retirement. facility that includes a memory-enhanced residence. It offers meal service, nursing services, recreational activities, housekeeping, laundry, religious activities, and more. For more information, contact:

Western North Carolina Baptist Home
213 *Richmond Hill Drive - Asheville, NC 28806 - 828-254-9675 (FAX) 828-254-0253 - Web site: www.brh.org*

The Hamilton Baptist Home is a 30-bed assisted living facility located on 18 acres in Hamilton, in eastern North Carolina. Recently renovated to enhance the comfort of the residents, the Home has been in operation since 1963. Services include all daily meals, recreational activities, housekeeping, laundry services, medication assistance, religious activities and more. For more information, contact:

Hamilton Baptist Home
301 North Railroad Street - Hamilton, NC 27840 -252-798-5901 - Web site: www.brh.org

The Taylor House is home to 30 residents in Albemarle, in North Carolina's Piedmont region. Situated in a residential neighborhood, The Taylor House opened in 1954 and was renovated in 1997. It offers a full range of assisted living services, including three meals daily, housekeeping, private rooms, laundry service, medication monitoring, recreational, and religious activities and more. For more information, contact:

The Taylor House
319 Palmer Street - Albemarle, NC 28001 - 704-982-4217 - (FAX) 704-982-5366 - Web site: www.brh.org

The Gardens of Taylor Glen is a continuing care retirement community under development in Concord. For more information, contact:

The Gardens of Taylor Glen
3700 Taylor Glen Lane - Concord NC 28025 - 704-788-6510 - Web site: www.brh.org

In-Home Care is a Medicare/Medicaid-certified home health care program designed to provide nursing and therapy, services to North Carolina Older Adults. For more information, contact:

In-Home care
22Miller Street - Winston-Salem, NC - 336-722-1470

MORE QUESTIONS? CALL THE BAPTIST ELDER CARE NETWORK 1-800-887-7410

The Elder Care Network is a free service offered by Baptist Retirement Homes of North Carolina, Inc. to Older Adults and their families. One number connects you to a statewide system of caregivers, community resources, and retirement communities to help you deal with the many difficult issues of aging.

Web site: www.brh.org

Biblical Recorder
2001 Associational Report

Baptists cling stubbornly to the idea that people should think for themselves and make up their own minds about issues of importance. For this reason, Baptists affiliated with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina (BSCNC) are fortunate to have a resource that provides regular, dependable and balanced news coverage of wide-ranging matters relating to Baptist life.

The *Biblical Recorder*, the official news journal of the BSCNC, has served this purpose since its establishment in 1833 by Thomas Meredith, a prime mover in founding the Baptist State Convention in 1930. The *Biblical Recorder* was privately owned and operated in support of Baptist work in North Carolina until 1938, when the paper was purchased by the Baptist State Convention and incorporated as an agency of the convention.

The *Biblical Recorder* is widely acknowledged to be in the top echelon of state Baptist papers, winning national honors for news and editorial writing in 2000.

The *Biblical Recorder's* strategic role in promoting God's kingdom work through North Carolina Baptists grows from its mission statement: ***"to further Christ's kingdom by providing relevant news, insightful opinions and supportive resources to North Carolina Baptists in a timely and accessible fashion."***

As a BSC agency, the *Biblical Recorder* belongs to all North Carolina Baptists, and appropriately reflects the geographical, ecclesiological, and theological diversity that is typical of the churches making up the Baptist State Convention. The editors and staff of the *Recorder* work diligently to offer a fair and balanced presentation of the news that most affects the life and ministry of North Carolina Baptists. Opinions advanced through editorials, letters, and analytical essays help to spark informed thinking on important issues. Feature stories about notable or innovative activities of churches and associations, regular reports on partnership missions efforts, and weekly commentaries on the most popular Sunday School lessons offer ideas, encouragement, and inspiration to readers of the *Recorder.*

In addition to its printed form, the *Biblical Recorder* maintains a popular presence on the World Wide Web, significantly enhanced through major upgrades in early 2001. The *Recorder's* website at www.biblicalrecorder.org offers Internet users an opportunity to read much of each paper's content online, and allows for the posting of breaking news prior to the printing of the next issue. New features include an internal search engine, a church locator service, classified ads, Bible study resources and a news/weather portal. Thousands of interested readers around the world consult the online version regularly.

As a BSCNC agency, the *Biblical Recorder* receives annual support from Cooperative Program gifts, making it possible to offer the *Recorder* at very affordable subscription rates. Currently, the annual rates are:

- Church News Service (incorporates church newsletter into the *Recorder*) - $7.50
- Every Home Plan (20%+ of church families, paid through the church budget) - $8.50
- Individual Subscription - $11.90

Subscription packets and free sample issues are available. For more information, please contact:
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Council on Christian Higher Education

Baptist State Convention of North Carolina

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Campbell University
800-334-4111
www.campbell.edu

Chowan College
800-488-4101
www.chowan.edu

Gardner-Webb University
800-253-6472
www.gardner-webb.edu

Mars Hill College
800-543-1514
www.mhc.edu

Meredith College
800-637-3348
www.meredith.edu

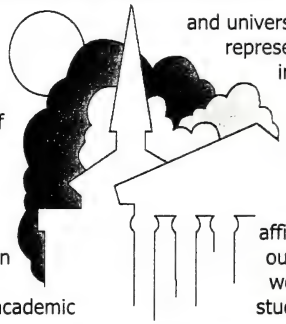
Wake Forest University
800-393-4244
www.wfu.edu

Wingate University
800-755-5550
www.wingate.edu

When it comes to colleges, "*one size does not fit all.*" There is a difference.

North Carolina has 117 post-secondary institutions. Some are classified as community or technical colleges. Others are public, while some are private. Some are Bible colleges. One is a seminary and one is a junior college.

Some have large campuses, while others have modest facilities. Some have major sports teams, while others offer intramural events. Some have significant endowments, while others struggle to stay open. Some have government support, while others depend upon private support.



North Carolina Baptist colleges and universities are unique. They are institutions we trust and support. They represent places that share our core belief that one's education should involve the heart, soul and mind. This belief is not shared by every institution in our state. Some are not allowed to invoke the name of God, neither are they allowed to worship God. North Carolina Baptist colleges, however, are different.

The colleges and universities associated with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina affirm their faith in God and acknowledge their Baptist heritage. Students on our campuses are challenged to develop their faith through Bible study, worship, ministry and mission opportunities in addition to their academic studies.

When a professor on one of our campuses was asked, "*Why have you chosen to be a part of this facility?*" He responded, "*Because I am free to mention the name of Jesus on this campus.*"

When it comes to colleges, "*one size does not fit all.*"

Students in our churches struggle when they are deciding which college or university to attend. It is a decision that will follow them the rest of their lives. If they choose a school where faith is left out of their educational experience, they will graduate with degrees without the benefit of their faith being challenged.

Thank you North Carolina Baptists for your continued support of Christian higher education at Campbell, Chowan, Gardner-Webb, Mars Hill, Meredith, Wake Forest and Wingate.

Wayne D. Wike, Executive Director
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THE NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST FOUNDATION
2000 ANNUAL REPORT

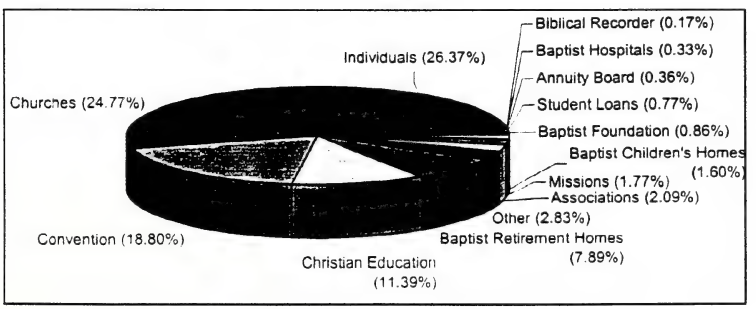
The mission of the North Carolina Baptist Foundation since its inception in 1920 has been to assist the Convention and its institutions and agencies in increasing an awareness among North Carolina Baptists of Christian estate stewardship principles as a means of financially undergirding churches, institutions and mission endeavors on a permanent basis. The uniqueness of the ministries and services provided by the institutions and General Board staff merits increased financial support. The Foundation accomplishes these objectives by offering assistance in estate planning counsel, Will preparation, planned giving, charitable remainder trusts, endowment funds and church fund management.

During 2000, the Foundation provided assistance to individuals in establishing 30 endowment funds and 18 charitable remainder trusts totaling $1.9 million and received $3.6 million in contributions to existing endowments all of which will ultimately benefit countless Baptist causes on a permanent basis. Programs were provided for 164 churches and associations during the year to promote Make Your Will Month, Christian estate stewardship, and church fund management. Over $4.6 million from churches and institutions came under management to enhance numerous ministries including scholarships, building funds, cemetery funds, benevolence funds, general operating funds and other various mission causes. With a total of $10.1 million in contributions, it was the best year ever eclipsing the previous high of $9.3 million recorded in 1999.

The Foundation employs professional money managers to invest these funds according to an investment policy adopted by its Board. Four investment pools are offered: a growth fund, a balanced fund, an income fund and a fixed income fund. The Foundation uses the services of Salomon Smith Barney to help select top money managers and evaluate performance. As of December 31, 2000, the Foundation held $97 4 million under management. This is an increase of more than $4.1 million over 1999.

The Foundation also experienced a record year in distributions in 2000. The previous high in distributions was 1999, with $5.3 million distributed to charity and individuals. In the year 2000, our distribution totaled 9.1 million dollars, with charity receiving $6.7 million and individuals, through trusts, receiving $2.4 million. During the 81-year history of The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc., $18.5 million has been distributed to individuals and $32.4 million to Baptist churches, institutions and mission causes for a grand historical total of $47.1 million.

Nancy Hunter, Chair, Board of Directors
M. Clay Warf, Executive Director



HOSPITAL FOCUSED ON PARTNERSHIPS IN HEALING

"We desire to build a hospital to bring the healing art more definitely under the dominion of the Great Healer." Baptist Hospital's founding commission penned these words in 1921, and this partnership in healing has been our defining purpose. Our Christian heritage remains the foundation of Baptist Hospital and undergirds our daily commitment to provide compassionate, state-of-the-art medical care to those we serve. The Christian faith is truly the "soul of our institution."

SCHOOL OF PASTORAL CARE

The mission of the School of Pastoral Care at Baptist Hospital is: To *provide ministries of growth, hope, and healing in the Spirit of Christ.* We are thankful that North Carolina Baptists are a significant partner in this mission, helping us bring hope to thousands of people each year.

The Department of Chaplaincy and Pastoral Education provided ministry during the past year through more than 61,000 pastoral visits, and worship services every Sunday, Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. The department's Clinical Pastoral Education (CPE) program received a 10-year accreditation from the Association of Clinical Pastoral Education site review team. Fifty-eight students received training in one of the largest and finest CPE programs in America.

The Department of Pastoral Counseling, CareNet, Inc. continues to develop its ministries. Rev. Steve Scoggin became the director of the system's newest center, the East Carolina Counseling Centers, Inc., in Greenville, N.C. CareNet's counseling centers provided more than 25,500 hours of compassionate pastoral counseling in 17 locations across the state during the year. It is the largest pastoral counseling system in the nation. Thanks to N.C. Baptists, free or reduced rate counseling is made available to lower income people.

The Center for Congregational Health, Inc. continues to assist churches in becoming healthier communities of faith. The Center provides consultation to 25 congregations a month. Over 600 church leaders received training in educational events conducted by the Center during the past year. These include the Young Leaders Program for ministers under age 40, and Intentional Interim Ministry training. Thanks to N.C. Baptists, the Center receives essential support for its ministries. This support pays for initial consultation for all Baptist churches, and provides subsidies for churches and ministers who need special financial assistance.

The Department of Church and Community Relations continues to serve as a liaison between the Hospital and churches of the Baptist State Convention. The department's director, Rev. Paul Mullen, provided ministry through 150 requests for assistance with obtaining medical care or concerns about medical bills. More than $65,000 was provided to N.C. Baptist ministers and their families by the 25% subsidy for their hospital bills. A variety of benevolent ministries was also coordinated, primarily the Baptist Benevolent Care Fund.

BAPTIST BENEVOLENT CARE FUND

North Carolina Baptists, through the Mother's Day Offering, opened their hearts to patients in financial need and gave $560,624 in 2000 for the compassionate mission of benevolent care at Baptist Hospital. All of these funds were used to pay the hospital bills of patients in financial need. The fund helps patients who "fall between the cracks," making too much for government assistance but not enough to pay for healthcare insurance. They are deeply thankful to N.C. Baptists for this gracious witness to God's love. As one recipient said, "God smiled on us through the Baptists of North Carolina." Her son is a 13-year-old cancer patient.

ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS AT NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOSPITAL

Ranked Among the Nation's Best - Baptist Hospital, part of the Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center, ranks among the nation's top hospitals according to the July 2001 issue of *U. S. News and World Report.* One hundred eighty-eight of the nation's 6,299 hospitals appear on this list.

Comprehensive Cancer Center Recognized for Excellence - The Medical Center's Comprehensive Cancer Center received a 5-year renewal of its status from the National Cancer Institute. The Comprehensive Cancer Center is one of only 37 such centers in the nation, and is the only one in western North Carolina. It includes Prostate and Breast Cancer Centers of Excellence.

Medical Center Earns Recognition for Trauma Care - Baptist Hospital, a Level One Trauma Center, received verification in both adult and pediatric trauma services in February 2001 by the American College of Surgeons. It is the first Level One Trauma Center in North Carolina to receive such recognition.

Downtown Health Plaza Opens - The 47,000 square foot Downtown Health Plaza opened in 2001 to provide healthcare for underserved people in Forsyth and surrounding counties. Thousands of indigent children, adolescents, and adults have received compassionate and thorough medical care during the year.

Expansion of Brenner Children's Hospital - Construction of a 400,000 square foot, 11-story addition to the hospital's Ardmore Tower is moving toward completion. Six of the floors will provide space for Brenner Children's facilities, such as private patient rooms, family resource centers, and programs for children with disabilities. The Tower will also include new cardiac catheterization labs and operating rooms.

Information and Appointments - For more information on health related issues or to make an appointment with a physician, contact HEALTH-ON-CALL at 1-800-446-2255 or 336-716-2255

A CLOSING WORD FROM THE PRESIDENT

The values of our Christian faith are the guiding principles of the North Carolina Baptist Hospital mission. We are strongly committed to be a place of healing, bridging compassionate and respectful care in the Spirit of Christ with the best of medical science and technology. This commitment reflects our heritage and shapes our vision for the future. We are thankful to North Carolina Baptist for being our partner in this healing mission. We were created to serve and care for people in times of their greatest healthcare needs, and we are here for you.

Respectfully submitted,

Len B. Preslar, Jr.
President
The North Carolina Baptist Hospitals, Incorporated

OTHER REPORTS

CHRISTIAN ACTION LEAGUE OF NORTH CAROLINA

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ANNUAL REPORT TO THE ASSOCIATIONS
2001

It is with humble gratitude that the Christian Action League of North Carolina serves the Lord Jesus Christ and the churches of this great state as a Beacon of light, guiding referendums and legislation through the murky waters of special-interest groups and educating God's people about the moral problems in our state and nation. Our goal is to encourage and organize the people of God so that our light will be seen brightly throughout our state; and when we speak, it will be in one accord and will resound loudly.

A. Christian Values

a. The Christian Action League again co-sponsored the Sixth Annual Christian Heritage Week of North Carolina held in March. It was our pleasure to provide awards for excellence to those high school students who won the essay contest on America 's Christian background.

b. CAL has continued to promote and distribute copies of the Ten Commandments throughout North Carolina. To date, over 17,000 copies have been mailed. CAL was instrumental in getting HB 195 passed that would allow public schools to post the Ten Commandments. This bill passed 94-18 on 7/16/1001.

c. Promoted awareness of worldwide persecution of Christians through email alerts and radio.

d. Participated with the American Family Association in distributing copies of our national motto posters "In God We Trust" through our newsletter and providing a link from our website for the purchase of these posters.

e. Joined with Family Life Ministries in promoting and distributing copies of the Marriage Covenant Certificates.

f. Set up CAL exhibit at Baptist State Convention.

B. Radio

"Christians In Action", Station WAGO (88.7 FM) Snow Hill, has expanded to WAAE, 91.9 FM in New Bern and WRNA (1140 AM) and WRKB (AM 1460) in Kannapolis. This broadcast consists of a five-minute commentary on issuesthat affect our lives today. Our projection is to ultimately reach the whole state.

C. Gambling

a. The Christian Action League has been instrumental in keeping a lottery referendum bill in Committee. Through our newsletter, emails, radio and postal service, we have encouraged the Christian Citizens of North Carolina to keep letters and calls constantly coming in to the N. C. General Assembly telling their legislators they do not want a lottery in North Carolina.

b. The Executive Director and President of CAL joined Citizens United Against the Lottery in a grass-roots effort to fight the lottery. The Executive Director spoke at a news conference held at the Press Room of the Legislative Building by this group. Members of CUAL are Chuck Neeley, former gubernatorial candidate, Frank Daniels, Jr., former publisher of the News and Observer, Dr. William Friday, former President of the UNC System; Dr. Silly Graham, U. S Senator Lauch Faircloth, former State Treasurer Harlan Boyles and former Governor Robert Scott.

c. CAL has held " A Christian Looks at Gambling" workshops in Statesville, Burlington, Morehead City, New Bern, Laurinburg, Asheville, Charlotte, Beulaville and Salisbury, areas whose legislators were targeted as '"on the fence" on the lottery issue.

d. The League has provided a packet of gambling materials for preachers across the state to use in educating their people about the dangers of a lottery.

D. Abortion

a. The Executive Director of CAL spoke before a Senate Committee to promote HB 275- Infant Homicide Prevention Act. The bill, which nearly failed to get out of the House in the spring, gained near unanimous support after the Christian Action League got behind the legislation. The bill allows mothers under certain circumstances to avoid abandonment charges if they leave their newborn with a responsible adult or health care provider. The League believes that this is an alternative to abortion and infant homicide after birth.

b. CAL has encouraged its members to call President Bush to encourage him to stand firm for the sanctity of human life on the issue of stem cell research through emails.

E. Alcohol

a. Participated in four LBD campaigns since January, 2001. We help with their organizational meetings, rallies and providing educational materials. Wilson Mills was successful in defeating off-premise beer and wine sales.

b. Worked in the General Assembly for defeat of HB 1143- Sports Club ABC Permits which would allow liquor-by-the-drink without a vote of the people. Rev. Mark H. Creech, Executive Director of CAL spoke before the Senate Committee against this bill. Unfortunately, the Governor signed this bill into law on 5/30/1001.

F. Pornography

Have produced and aired several radio programs to inform the public of the Internet pornography crisis. Educate communities on how they can rid their neighborhoods of adult establishments.

G. Homosexuality

CAL monitors and informs the Christian community of the current homosexual agenda through our email alert and newsletter. We track bills that would give protected status for homosexuals. Several bills this session are HB 941, HB 871 and SB 547; all remain in committee.

The Christian Action League of North Carolina produces a quarterly newsletter *The Beacon* that has a distribution of over 21,000. We also send out an email alert every Friday to over 600 members to keep them abreast of current moral, ethical and political issues that affect our state and nation. All services of the Christian Action League are provided at no charge. We depend on God's people for His work.

Working For A Better North Carolina

Reverend Mark H. Creech	Coy Privette
Executive Director	President

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Pursuant to §55A-2-02 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, the undersigned corporation does hereby submit these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a nonprofit corporation.

ARTICLE I
NAME

The name of the corporation is **LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION**

ARTICLE II
DESIGNATION

The corporation is a charitable or religious corporation within the meaning of N.C.G.S. §55A-1-40(4).

ARTICLE III
REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is Route 8, Box 610, Bud Kanoy Road, Thomasville, Davidson County, North Carolina, 27360-7839, and the initial registered agent at that office is *Dr.* Richard H. Capps, Director of Missions.

ARTICLE IV
INCORPORATORS

The names and addresses of the incorporators, acting as representatives of the members of Liberty Baptist Association are as follows:

Moderator: J. Stuart White, 5694 E. Holly Grove Road, Thomasville NC 27360
Vice Moderator: Robert W. Cook, 485 Jr. Order Home Road, Lexington NC 27292
Clerk: Gail S. Beck, 361 Light Road, Thomasville NC 27360
Treasurer: Raleigh F. York, Jr., 22 Forest Drive, Thomasville NC 27360

ARTICLE V
MEMBERS

The corporation shall have one class of members as provided in the bylaws. Members shall be received, rejected, or withdrawn as set forth in the bylaws. The Baptist churches which are members of Liberty Baptist Association immediately prior to the incorporation thereof automatically shall become members of the corporation.

ARTICLE VI
DISSOLUTION

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the board of directors shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for religious purposes as shall qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue law) as the board of directors shall determine. Any such assets not disposed of shall be disposed of by the District Court of the County in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

ARTICLE VII
PURPOSE

The purposes for which the corporation is organized are:

A. to assist the churches of Liberty Baptist Association in their divinely appointed mission and in cooperative relationships with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, the Southern Baptist Convention, and other Baptist entities to promote and provide opportunities for individual and collective participation in missions, evangelism, ministry, education, social services, and distribution of the Bible;

B. to engage in any lawful act or activities for which corporations may be organized under N.C. General Statutes Chapter 55A;

C. to engage in any lawful activity within the purposes for which the corporation may be organized which is incidental to and in furtherance of the exempt purposes of the corporation;

D. to operate exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and recreational purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE VIII
INITIAL DIRECTORS

The number of initial directors shall be One Hundred and Thirty-Four (134), and the initial directors shall be the duly-elected representatives from each member church of Liberty Baptist Association.

ARTICLE IX
GOVERNMENT

A. The government of this corporation is vested in its members who are represented in the manner set out in its bylaws. The members retain the right of self-government in all phases of the spiritual and temporal life of the association.

B. Churches received as members of this corporation as set out in the bylaws shall constitute the membership ("the members"). The members shall be represented by messengers as provided in the bylaws and shall have the sole authority to adopt and amend the charter and bylaws, approve budgets, receive and discharge members, govern and conduct the affairs of this corporation.

C. All internal groups, committees, directors, officers, agents, and/or employees created and empowered by the association ultimately shall report to and be accountable to the members and shall have such powers and duties as set out in the bylaws.

D. This association is autonomous and independent and is a sovereign and democratic association of Baptist churches under the Lordship of Jesus Christ. As such, the association is subject to the control of no other ecclesiastical body and does not claim and will never attempt to exercise any authority over any member church, auxiliary organization, or other Baptist body.

ARTICLE X
ELECTION AS 501(c)(3) CORPORATION

No part of the net earnings or receipts of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes as set forth in these Articles of Incorporation.

No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), or (b) by a corporations, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE XI
PERSONAL LIABILITY

Personal liability for all directors for monetary damages arising out of an action or actions, whether by or in the right of the corporation or otherwise for breach of any duty as a director is eliminated except with respect to acts, omissions, liabilities and/or transactions described and defined in North Carolina General Statutes §55A-2-02 (b),(4)(i),(ii),(iii), and (iv).

ARTICLE XII
EFFECTIVE DATE

These articles will be effective upon filing.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands, this the 21st day of November, 1994.

J. Stuart White
Robert W. Cook
Gail S. Beck
Raleigh F. York, Jr.

BYLAWS OF LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

ARTICLE I
NAME AND LOCATION

A. The corporate name of this nonprofit corporation shall be "Liberty Baptist Association" The principal and registered office of the Corporation shall be at 259 Bud Kanoy Road, Thomasville, 27360-0810, Davidson County, North Carolina.

B. All reference to "Association" or "Corporation" in the Articles of Incorporation, in the Bylaws, in Amendments, or other official action of the Association, shall signify the legal organization of Liberty Baptist Association as established in the Articles of Incorporation. Liberty Baptist Association as it has existed heretofore, for all legal and administrative purposes fully is incorporated into Liberty Baptist Association, a nonprofit corporation. References to votes of the membership shall have reference to a vote of the members of this Association as prescribed in Article VII F of these Bylaws.

ARTICLE II
PURPOSE

The purposes for which the Corporation is organized are:

C. to assist the churches of Liberty Baptist Association in their divinely appointed mission and in cooperative relationships with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, the Southern Baptist Convention, and other Baptist entities to promote and provide opportunities for individual and collective participation in missions, evangelism, ministry, education, social services, and distribution of the Bible;

D. to engage in any lawful act or activities for which corporations may be organized under N.C. General Statutes Chapter 55A;

E. to engage in any lawful activity within the purposes for which the Corporation may be organized which is incidental to and in furtherance of the exempt purposes of the Corporation;

F. to operate exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and recreational purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE III
ELECTION AS A 501(C)(3) CORPORATION

A. The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and recreational purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 50l(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law).

B. No part of the net earnings or receipts of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes as set forth in the Articles.

C. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the Corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the

Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (or the corresponding provision of any future U.S. Internal Revenue Law) or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future U.S. Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE IV
GOVERNMENT

A. The government of this Association is vested in its members who are represented in the manner set out in its Bylaws. The members retain the right of self-government in all phases of the spiritual and temporal life of the association.

B. Churches received as members of this Association, as herein provided, shall constitute the membership ("the members"). The members shall be represented by messengers duly elected by each member church and certified to the Association in its Annual Church Profile (Church Letter), and the number of messengers shall be determined as follows:

- **a.** Six messengers from each church for its first one hundred members or fraction thereof;
- **b.** One additional messenger from each church for each additional fifty members or fraction thereof above 100 and up to 1,000 members;
- **c.** One additional messenger from each church for each additional one hundred members or major fraction thereof above 1,000 members;

The members represented by messengers as aforesaid shall have the sole authority to adopt and amend the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws, approve budgets, receive and discharge members, govern and conduct the affairs of this Corporation. In the event of death or resignation of a messenger, the member shall elect a successor messenger to fill the vacancy. The name of the messenger being replaced and the elected successor shall be furnished to the Clerk of the Association, in writing, and shall be presented at the next regular meeting of the Association.

C. All internal groups, committees, directors, officers, agents, and/or employees created and empowered by the Association ultimately shall report to and be accountable to the Association and shall have such powers and duties as hereinafter set out.

D. This Association is autonomous and independent and is a sovereign and democratic association of Baptist churches under the Lordship of Jesus Christ. As such, the Association is subject to the control of no other ecclesiastical body and does not claim and will never attempt to exercise any authority over any member church, auxiliary organization, or other Baptist body.

ARTICLE V
PROPERTY

A. The title to all property shall be in the Association.

B. The securing and maintaining of real, personal, and mixed property by this association shall be for the express purpose of providing facilities for and the engagement upon the missionary, educational, and benevolent interests of this association as historically have been espoused and practiced thereby and as are expressed in its charter and bylaws, which practices and documents are deemed the standard for uses and practices upon and with regard to such property.

C. Real property shall not be mortgaged, conveyed, transferred, or encumbered without the affirmative vote of three-fourths of the "Individuals entitled to vote," as hereinafter defined in Article VII, G., at an annual meeting or a regular meeting duly called for such purpose and stated in the meeting notice.

D. This article shall not be amended, altered, or repealed except by a three fourths vote of the "Individuals entitled to vote," as hereinafter defined in Article VII, G., at an annual or regular meeting duly called and then only in the event that such proposed amendment, alteration, or repeal has been given in writing to the Moderator and Executive Board and has lain on the table for a period of twelve months, and no article shall be voted upon until the period aforementioned has elapsed, any other provisions herein to the contrary notwithstanding.

ARTICLE VI
MEMBERS

A. **Record of Members:** The members of this Association shall be composed of the Baptist churches

who are members of Liberty Baptist Association on the date these Bylaws are adopted. The Clerk shall attach hereto a list of such present members which shall remain a part of the official records of the Association maintained at all times in the office of the Association. A current list of members shall be maintained at all times in the office of the Association.

B. **Organization of New Work Missions/Churches:** The Association by its nature and definition is an organization whose primary purpose is missions. In furtherance of these functions, the Association will attempt to develop and foster new work missions/churches and will remain available and will be resourceful in assisting groups or churches in their own development respectively of and as Baptist churches. The Association is mindful and responsive to the autonomous nature of the structure of its members and desires to inculcate in watch-care groups and churches their own independence while utilizing, without compulsion, the well-intended and well-respected practices of existing Baptist churches in historical Baptist precedence, all of which can be helpful during the organizational phases. To those ends and to effect these purposes, the Association will consider, promulgate, and maintain suggested guidelines for establishing and assisting new work missions/churches in their efforts. These guidelines shall be developed by the Missions Development Committee and approved by the Association. At such time as a group comes under watch care of the Association, a sponsoring church (member of the Association) shall be recommended by the Missions Development Committee in consultation with the Director of Missions and actively shall support such mission/church with any resource assistance required. The sponsoring church will work in cooperation with the Missions Development Committee and a Liaison Committee shall be formulated and shall be comprised of the following: Two persons from the sponsoring church; Two persons from the new mission/church; One person from the Missions Development Committee; and, Ex-officio, the Mission Pastor, Sponsoring Church Pastor, and Director of missions.

The Liaison Committee shall meet monthly and no less than bi-monthly during the formation period of the mission/church and shall assist in every reasonable manner with the development of the mission/church on behalf of the Association. In the event a sponsoring church cannot be secured, the Missions Development Committee shall be responsible for the sponsoring thereof on behalf of the Association. The mission/church shall remain under watch care of the Association until such mission/church is ready to constitute a self-supporting church and has fulfilled watch-care requirements.

C. **Admission of New Churches:** Any church seeking admission to the membership of the Association shall petition the Association in writing at least three months prior to the annual meeting of the Association. Such petition shall be referred to the Missions Development Committee for its study of the petitioning church's covenant, articles of faith, history, practices, cooperative spirit, its relations to other churches of the Association, and its willingness to abide by the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of the Association. A written report setting out its findings and recommendations for action at the next annual meeting of the Association shall be submitted by the Missions Development Committee to the Executive Board and the Association. Final approval for membership shall be contingent upon a one-year period under a watch-care relationship after which determination will be made by a three-fourths vote of "Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in VII, G., in annual meeting.

D. **Privileges of Membership:** Members through their messengers ("Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in Article VII, G.), and members through their messengers ("Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in Article VII, G.,) only, are entitled to vote in all elections and all questions submitted to the Association. Recognizing the value of voluntary association among churches of like faith and practice, members are afforded opportunity to work in mutual, cooperative fellowship with other churches, especially those of Baptist faith, to advance the gospel of Christ, to promote Christian principles of justice and righteousness in personal, social, and community life, to promote the spiritual welfare of all persons, to disseminate the work of God to the people of all nations through evangelistic, educational, and charitable missions.

E. **Requirements of Membership:** All members reasonably are required to submit a completed Annual Church Profile (Church Letter) to the Annual Meeting; send messengers to the annual

meeting; and, contribute to the financial program of the Association. Only members of the Association shall determine whether member churches have fulfilled requirements for membership.

F. **Termination of Membership:** The membership status of any member shall be terminated by written request of the member seeking termination addressed to the Association. Failure reasonably to meet requirements of membership as set out in paragraph E above for a period of two consecutive years after contact by the Missions Development Committee to ascertain the desire of the member church shall subject any member church to termination. No member may be expelled or suspended, and no membership may be terminated or suspended, except in a manner that is fair and reasonable and is carried out in good faith, and in compliance with the following procedures:

1. The Executive Board, by a three-fourths (3/4) vote of members present at a special meeting, duly called, must recommend termination of the subject member church.
2. Such recommendation, in writing, must be mailed to the subject member church and each member church sixty (60) days in advance of a special meeting of members.
3. The subject church shall have full and ample opportunity to present its position at such meeting.
4. Termination of membership shall occur only upon a three-fourths (3/4) vote of individuals entitled to vote.

G. **Watch-care Affiliation:** Watch-care affiliation for a period of one year shall be required for each church applying for membership in the Association. Each church under watch-care affiliation shall submit a quarterly report and an Annual Church Profile (Church Letter) to the Association.

ARTICLE VII
MEETINGS OF MEMBERS

A. **Annual Meeting:** The annual meeting of the Association shall be held on Monday following the first Sunday in October for the following purposes: to elect officers of the Association, standing committees, and special committees; to receive annual reports; to approve budgets; to conduct any other business matters which properly may come before the annual meeting; and, to share in worship and fellowship.

B. Regular Meetings: Regular meetings shall be held in January, April, and July to receive reports, to conduct business matters which properly come before the meeting, and to share in worship and fellowship.

C. **Special Meetings:** Special meetings for the transaction of business may be called by the Executive Board provided sufficient notice is given members to allow for two Sundays between the call and the meeting.

D. **Emergencies:** In emergencies, any change in the time and/or place of meetings shall be determined by a vote of two-thirds of the Executive Board present when the vote is taken.

E. **Presiding Officer:** The Moderator shall preside at all meetings of members. In the absence of the Moderator, the Vice Moderator shall preside. In the absence of the Moderator and Vice Moderator, the Clerk shall preside. In the absence of the aforementioned officers, the Treasurer shall preside. In the absence of all officers, the body may elect an acting moderator.

F. **Quorum:** Seventy-five (75) "Individuals entitled to vote," as hereinafter defined in Article VII, G., shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at any annual or special meeting of members.

G. **Voting:** Messengers who have been duly elected by a member, have been certified in its annual report to the Association, and are duly registered and present shall be collectively referred to as "Individuals entitled to vote" and shall be entitled to one vote at any meeting of members. No proxy or absentee voting shall be permitted. All voting shall be by show of hands, standing vote or voice vote except when there are contested matters in which case the vote shall be by ballot. Parliamentary procedure utilizing Robert's Rules of Order shall be followed.

ARTICLE VIII
EXECUTIVE BOARD

A. **Board of Directors:** All reference to "Executive Board" or "Board of Directors" in the Articles of Incorporation, in the Bylaws, in Amendments, or other official action of the Association shall be synonymous with and shall include conferring of powers as are provided by the Articles of

Incorporation, Bylaws, and the North Carolina Nonprofit Corporation Act.

B. **Membership:** The Executive Board membership shall consist of the following:

1. Officers duly elected by the Association, to-wit: Moderator, Vice Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer.
2. Standing Committee Chairpersons, Special Standing Committee Chairpersons, and Representatives, Director and Team Leaders as named in Article XI A and XI B.

C. **Officers:** The officers of the Executive Board shall be the same persons elected by the Association as Moderator (President), Vice Moderator (Vice President), Clerk (Secretary), and Treasurer.

D. **Meetings:** Regular meetings of the Executive Board shall be held at least quarterly. The first meeting, which shall be designated as the annual meeting, shall be held as soon as possible after the annual meeting of the Association, and the last meeting shall be held as nearly as possible to the next annual meeting of the Association for approval/endorsement of various Reports of the Association for the annual meeting.

Special meetings may be called by the Moderator whenever the need arises and the Moderator shall call a special meeting when requested in writing by ten (10) members of the Executive Board.

E. **Quorum:** Eighteen (18) members of the Executive Board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

F. **Duties:** Except as restricted by the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws or other official action of the Association, the Executive Board shall manage the general business and activities of the Association between meetings of members; and shall call special meetings of the Association. Executive Board shall plan and correlate the activities of the Association and make recommendations to the Association. The Executive Board shall present a written report of action taken to the Association at its next regular or annual meeting for ratification and approval of action so taken between meetings.

G. **Contracts:** As instructed and authorized by the Association, the Executive Board may authorize officers to enter into contracts or execute and deliver instruments on behalf of the Association, and such authority may be general or confined to specific instances subject only to limitations provided herein.

H. **Loans:** No loans shall be contracted on behalf of the Association and no evidence of indebtedness shall be issued in its name unless authorized by a resolution of the Executive Board pursuant to specific authority of the Association. Such authority may be general or confined to specific instances.

I. **Depository:** The Executive Board shall have the power to (a) select one or more banks to act as depositories of the funds of the Association; (b) determine the manner of receiving, depositing, and disbursing the funds of the Association; (c) designate the person or persons authorized to draw on the bank accounts of the Association; (d) approve the form of checks to be used in drawing on such bank accounts; and, (e) change such banks, the person or persons drawing on such accounts, and the form of checks at will.

J. **Removal:** Board members, as well as officers of the Association, may be removed by majority vote of the Association at a properly called business meeting, with written notice to members setting out the specific purpose of the meeting.

K. **Death, Resignation or Termination:** In the event a Board member shall expire, resign, or for any reason be removed from the Executive Board, the Association shall fill the vacancy for the unexpired term.

ARTICLE IX
OFFICERS

A. **Officers Generally:** There shall be a Moderator who shall also serve as Moderator and Chairman of the Executive Board and President of the Corporation. There shall be a Vice Moderator who shall also serve as Vice Moderator of the Executive Board and Vice President of the Corporation. There shall be a Clerk who shall also serve as Clerk of the Executive Board and Secretary of the Corporation. There shall be a Treasurer who shall also serve as Treasurer of the Association and of the Corporation. Whenever used in the Articles of Incorporation, in the Bylaws, in Amendments, or in other official action of the Association, the words "Moderator or "President;" "Vice Moderator"

or "Vice President;" or "Clerk" or "Secretary" shall be synonymous.

B. Moderator:

1. Election and Term: The Moderator shall be elected annually at the annual meeting of the Association for a term of one year and may be re-elected for a one-year term. The Moderator shall be ineligible for re-election as Moderator for a period of two years after having served two one-year terms. The term of office shall begin at the close of the annual meeting and shall continue through the close of the next annual meeting or until a successor is elected.

2. Duties: The Moderator shall

a. preside at the annual meeting, regular meetings, and any special meeting of the Association;

b. serve as President of the Corporation;

c. preside at all meetings of the Executive Board;

d. perform such other duties as are specifically prescribed in these Bylaws and as may be delegated by the Association;

e. serve with other officers to recommend a Committee on Nominations to the Association for election at its July meeting;

f. appoint other committees when so directed by the Association or Executive Board; and

g. serve as ex officio member of all committees except the Committee on Nominations.

C. Vice Moderator

1. Election and Term: The Vice Moderator shall be elected annually at the annual meeting for a term of one year and may be re-elected for a one-year term. The Vice Moderator shall be ineligible for re-election as Vice Moderator for a period of two years after having served two one-year terms. The term of office shall begin at the close of the annual meeting in which such election is held and shall continue through the close of the next annual meeting or until his successor is elected.

2. Duties: The Vice Moderator shall

a. preside at meetings of the Association and Executive Board in the absence of the Moderator or at the pleasure of the Moderator;

b. serve as Vice President of the Corporation;

c. serve with other officers to recommend a Committee on Nominations to the Association for election at its July meeting; and

d. perform such other duties as may be specifically prescribed in these Bylaws and as may be delegated by the members.

D. Clerk

1. Election and Term: The Clerk shall be elected annually at the annual meeting for a term of one year.

2. Duties: The Clerk shall

a. serve as Secretary of the Corporation and of the Executive Board;

b. maintain at all times a current list of members of the Association;

c. maintain and preserve the files, records, and documents of the Association in proper order at all times for examination by the Executive Board;

d. send report forms to members at least one month before the annual meeting of the Association;

e. prepare a composite record of the member information included in the annual report submitted to the Association and distribute copies thereof at the annual meeting;

f. supervise the printing of minutes of the Association and distribute to the members as soon as possible after the annual meeting;

g. preserve the files, records, and documents of the Association and, upon election of a successor, relinquish such files, records, documents, and other property belonging to the Association and in the possession and control of the Clerk to the duly elected successor; and

h. preside at meetings in the absence of the Moderator and Vice Moderator at the pleasure of the moderator.

E. Treasurer

1. Election and Term: The Treasurer shall be elected annually at the annual meeting for a term of one year.

2. Duties: The Treasurer shall

a. serve as Treasurer of the Corporation;

b. have custody of all funds of the Association;

c. maintain at all times up-to-date, orderly records of all receipts and disbursements;

d. disburse funds by check in accordance with the budget and direction of the Association or Executive Board;

e. prepare quarterly financial reports and distribute copies to the Finance Committee and the Executive Board;

f. prepare a financial report and distribute copies at the annual meeting;

g. serve as a member of the Finance Committee;

h. cooperate with the firm making the annual audit; and

i. serve with other officers to recommend a Committee on Nominations to the Association for election at its July meeting.

j. preside at meetings in the absence of the Moderator, Vice Moderator and Clerk at the pleasure of the moderator.

F. Assistant Treasurer

1. Election and Term: The Assistant Treasurer shall be elected annually at the annual meeting for a term of one year.

2. Duties: The Assistant Treasurer shall, during periods of incapacity or absence of the Treasurer, perform the duties assigned to the Treasurer in paragraph E. 2 as required and shall assist the Treasurer as directed and required by the Treasurer.

ARTICLE X
STAFF

A. Staff Positions: The staff of the Association shall be composed of the Associational Missionary, Office Manager, and such other persons who shall fill staff positions as may be created by the Association. The Personnel Committee shall make recommendation for the creation of any staff position. A current list of staff positions shall be maintained by the Personnel Committee. A job description for each staff position shall be prepared and shall be revised periodically by the Personnel Committee, approved by the Executive Board, and furnished to all candidates considered for the position and the person filling the position. Staff positions may be combined from time to time at the discretion of the Personnel Committee and the Executive Board and the combined position held by one person.

B. Election/Employment: Except in the case of the Associational Missionary, the staff members from time to time shall be employed for indeterminate terms by the Association or Executive Board at a regular meeting upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

C. Termination: With the exception of the Associational Missionary, termination of the relationship between a staff member and the Association shall occur within a reasonable and announced period after written notice of termination delivered to the staff member on behalf of the Association and to the Personnel Committee and the Executive Board on behalf of the staff member. Termination of the staff member by the Association shall be initiated and acted upon by the Executive Board upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

D. Vacation and Leave: Requirements for vacation and leaves, record-keeping, expense reimbursement, work schedules, and other employment matters shall be outlined in the Policy Manual and Benefit Plans. Such manual shall be prepared, reviewed, monitored, and amended from time to time by recommendation of the Personnel Committee to the Executive Board; and the staff shall be subject to the provisions thereof from time to time; provided, nothing therein contained shall be interpreted to be in derivation or in violation of the provisions of the Bylaws, and such Policy Manual and Benefit Plans must remain consistent with the purposes and intent requirements thereof.

E. Associational Missionary

1. Search Committee Procedure: When a vacancy occurs in the position of Associational Missionary or the Associational Missionary furnishes notice of intent to vacate the position, a Search Committee composed of the officers of the Association and five members of the Missions

Development Committee elected by the Association shall meet as soon as possible, determine their procedure, establish a profile, prepare application forms and reference questionnaires, and shall diligently seek to find an Associational Missionary who, by calling, training, and ability, is qualified spiritually, mentally, and physically to lead the work of the Association. The Moderator shall serve as Chairperson of the Search Committee. Members of the committee may be reimbursed by the Treasurer for any necessary and reasonable travel and subsistence expenses which are incurred in the performance of their duties. The candidate to be recommended by the Search Committee may be interviewed by the Missions Development Committee/Executive Board before presenting the candidate to the Association in annual meeting.

2. Election/Employment: When the Search Committee has selected a potential employee and is ready to make a report and recommendation to the Association, such recommendation shall be made to the Association at its next meeting. Upon a vote being taken, the Associational Missionary presented must receive at least three-fourths of all votes cast. If the Associational Missionary fails to receive the required three-fourths vote, the Moderator shall declare the nominee not elected/employed and shall refer the matter, without debate, to the Search Committee for further investigation and further recommendation under the foregoing procedure.

3. Duties: The **Associational Missionary** shall

a. fulfill all duties under the direction of the Personnel Committee and the Executive Board;

b. serve ex officio in a supervisory capacity on all committees of the Association unless otherwise provided in these Bylaws;

c. promote the work of the Association and denomination;

d. cooperate with members, their pastors, officers, and committees of the Association;

e. present oral reports to the Missions Development Committee, the Executive Board and Association meetings;

f. present a written report to the annual meeting of the Association;

g. assist the Clerk in preparation of the composite record of members from information submitted in their annual report to the Association;

h. assist the Clerk in preparing the annual minutes of the Association.

4. Termination: The Associational Missionary shall be employed for an indeterminate term. The Associational Missionary shall give reasonable notice of intent to resign or retire to the Personnel Committee and the Executive Board. The Associational Missionary may be removed by an affirmative vote of three-fourths of the "Individuals entitled to vote," as heretofore defined in Article VII, G., at a meeting properly called with ten days written notice to the Associational Missionary and written notice of the meeting to the members as required by the Bylaws.

5. Interim Associational Missionary: The Executive Board, in consultation with the Personnel Committee, shall be responsible for recommending to the Association the employment of an Interim Associational Missionary when the Association is without an Associational Missionary.

6. Extended Leave or Absence: During any extended leave or absence of the Associational Missionary for medical or other appropriate reasons and with advice of the Personnel Committee, the Executive Board shall make such necessary, temporary or emergency decisions as reasonably shall be required.

ARTICLE XI
COMMITTEES

A. Standing Committees:

Except as hereinafter provided, Standing Committees of the Association shall be as follows: Audit Committee, Building and Grounds Committee; Bylaws Committee; Ethnic Ministries Committee; Evangelism Committee; Finance Committee; Historical Committee; Memorials Committee; Meeting Program Committee; Missions Development Committee; Music Committee; Nominating Committee; Ordination Examining Committee; Pastoral Ministries Committee; Personnel Committee; Place and Preacher Committee; Resolutions Committee; Scholarship Committee; Senior Adult Committee; Sunday School Committee; Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee and Youth Ministries Committee shall have membership of not less than three persons and general responsibilities respectively as follows:

1. **Audit Committee:** The Audit Committee shall make an audit or review of the records and receipts of the Association on a regular basis. A report shall be made to the Finance Committee in writing as to findings, needed adjustments and suggestions. The committee will meet at least two times a year with the Treasurer as ex-officio member to review the quarterly updated finance reports and records. The annual audit report or review shall be completed by September 30 and presented in writing in the Book of Reports as part of the Finance Committee report. The Audit Committee shall have the option of recommending a review of the financial records or a complete audit of the financial records. The Audit Committee shall recommend to the appropriate Executive Board and Association meeting, prior to the Annual Session, whether a review or complete audit of the Financial Records is needed. The Audit Committee is responsible for doing the necessary research to answer any questions concerning Financial Records that may be raised by member churches, messengers, or Executive Board members within a reasonable period.
2. **Building and Grounds Committee:** The Building and Grounds Committee shall plan for adequate maintenance, repairs, alterations, improvement, and housekeeping of the physical properties of the Association; upon request of the Associational Missionary, assist in considering approval for special use of the facilities of the Association; and, prepare and submit an appropriate budget request for consideration and inclusion in the proposed budget.
3. **Bylaws Committee:** The Bylaws Committee shall consider requests for amendments, alterations, or revisions of the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws and shall make recommendations to the Association with respect thereto; and, periodically review and make recommendations for amendments, alterations, or revisions of the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws.
4. **Ethnic Ministries Committee:** The Ethnic Ministries Committee will encourage cooperation among the churches to minister to the international groups in the area. This will involve various ministries including but not limited to: (1) computer opportunities; (2) medical/dental bus; (3) English as a second language; (4) literacy classes; (5) migrant ministries; (6) resource information for ethnic ministries (food banks, medical assistance, locations of ESL classes, etc.); (7) conversational Spanish classes, and (8) international population incorporation into a new culture.
5. **Evangelism Committee:** The Evangelism Committee will lead the Association (churches and programs) to address the priority of evangelism in its area and will include in its program: life-style evangelism; church evangelism committee development; evangelism strategy development; mass evangelism; personal evangelism; rural and small church evangelism; metropolitan evangelism; specialized evangelism; renewal evangelism, and evangelism prospect discovery. The committee will coordinate with other committes and member churches the festival ministries and special event ministries for evangelistic outreach in the Association.
6. **Finance Committee:** The Finance Committee shall consist of the Treasurer, Assistant Treasurer and four persons. The Finance Committee shall study, formulate, and recommend a budget adequate to support the program of the Association; formulate plans for promotion of the budget and cooperation of members in meeting budget needs; review the quarterly and annual financial reports of the Treasurer; review and monitor budget line item expenses; present periodical reports of contributions to members of the Association; and, present a written report to the quarterly and annual meeting of the Association. The Finance Committee shall study all financial matters which may be presented at an Association or Executive Board Meeting and report its findings before action is taken.
7. **Historical Committee:** The Historical Committee shall consist of the Historian and two other persons. The Historical Committee shall collect and preserve historical data of the association, encourage and promote the preservation of historical data by member churches, and present oral and written reports to meetings of the Association.
8. **Memorials Committee:** The Memorials Committee shall prepare a report of individuals who have expired since the last annual meeting as reflected in the Annual Church Profile

(Church Letter) to the Association furnished by the members and shall conduct a brief, appropriate Memorial Service for such individuals during the Annual Meeting.

9. **Meeting Program Committee:** The Meeting Program Committee shall consist of the elected chairman, the Moderator, Clerk, Place and Preacher Committee chairman, Associational Music Director, and the Pastors of host churches for the annual and regular meetings of the Association. The Meeting Program Committee shall plan the annual and regular meetings of the Association, prepare a printed program for each of these meetings, and send a copy of the printed program to all persons on the program and members at least ten days prior to the meeting. This committee shall present the printed program for adoption at the opening of each meeting and serve through all meetings when adjustments of the program are necessary.

10. **Missions Development Committee:** The Missions Development Committee will lead the association (churches and programs) to address the priority missions frontiers in their area through work with church mission development committees, missions survey and analysis, church extension, language missions, church and community ministries, volunteer chaplaincy ministries, interfaith witness, black church relations, and special ministries. The Missions Development committee will be responsible for assisting in the organization and admission of new churches as more specifically set out in Article VI B and C. The Missions Development Committee shall coordinate mission ministry projects in consultation with other committees of the Association as needed.

11. **Music Committee:** The Music Director elected by the Association shall serve as chairman of the Music Committee. Other members of the committee will be the music directors of each of the churches hosting the meetings of members. Music directors who served for the previous year will be ex officio members of the committee. The Music Committee will seek to enhance the redemptive mission of churches through establishing, conducting, enlarging, and improving their music ministries. It will provide musical experiences in congregational services; develop musical skills, attitudes, and understandings; witness and minister through music; interpret and undergird the work of the church and the denomination.

12. **Nominating Committee:** The Nominating Committee shall consist of five individuals recommended to the annual meeting by the Committee on Nominations and shall meet as often as necessary to fill vacancies and prepare nominations for the annual meeting of the association; seek to fill all positions with the best qualified nominees, avoiding the nomination of one individual for more than one position and distributing obligations and privileges of service to member representation; contact all nominees and secure consent before making recommendations to the Association; recommend to the Association during the annual meeting the officers, chairpersons, members of each standing committee, teams, and representatives, unless otherwise provided in these Bylaws; recommend to the Association individuals to fill vacancies which may occur between annual meetings of the Association.

13. **Ordination Examining Committee:** Each church of the Association shall have the exclusive right to ordain for the ministry without Associational involvement. However, member churches shall have the option to utilize the Associational Ordination Examining Committee as hereinafter set out. The Ordination Examining Committee shall consist of five persons. The Ordination Examining Committee shall receive requests from churches within the Association who wish to examine a candidate for ordination to the Gospel ministry; cooperate with the church requesting examination in setting a mutually satisfactory date for examination; question the candidate for ordination; report its findings to the church making such request for examination; approve for ordination only the candidate who has received a call to serve in an ordained Christian ministry of any kind including, but not limited to that of a member church of the Association, or Baptist churches outside the Association; to serve on the mission field, or to serve as a chaplain in the armed forces or a public institution; and, shall have the option to summons pastors and one lay person from any or all cooperating member churches of the Liberty Baptist Association.

14. **Pastoral Ministries Committee:** The Pastoral Ministries Committee will assist pastors and staff by being a friend and resource. The committee will offer help and wisdom to ministers in planning new ideas, implementation, and how to bring about change within their congregation. This committee will visit and welcome new ministers and help them establish a good foundation in their new work.

15. **Personnel Committee:** The Personnel Committee shall consist of five persons. Except as otherwise provided in Article X, E., the Personnel Committee shall receive applications, interview applicants, contact references, and carefully investigate those being considered for staff positions; and shall recommend the prospective employee. They shall make recommendation to the Association the need for any new staff position; shall prepare, periodically review, revise, and recommend changes in job descriptions to the Executive Board; shall prepare, periodically review, revise and recommend changes to Personnel Policy Manual and Benefits Plan; periodically evaluate personnel performance and make necessary recommendations to the staff; consult with and perform duties as set out in Article X of these Bylaws. The Personnel Committee shall establish a salary plan and prepare budget requests and submit such budget requests to the Finance Committee of the Association.

16. **Place and Preacher Committee:** The Place and Preacher Committee shall solicit and receive invitations from churches to host the meetings of the members. The committee shall recommend the preacher and an alternate preacher for the meetings of the members. Recommendations for meeting places and the preacher and alternate preacher shall be made to the members at the annual meeting.

17. **Resolutions Committee:** The Resolutions Committee shall consist of five persons. The Resolutions Committee shall review all properly submitted resolutions which may be reworded for clarity, combined with like issues into one resolution, or rejected if previously addressed or are inappropriate; present all appropriate resolutions to the Association for consideration; prepare and present resolutions of appreciation and other resolutions deemed appropriate; and, notify persons submitting resolutions of the disposition thereof.

18. **Scholarship Committee:** The Scholarship Committee shall carry out the duties and obligations set out in the Guidelines for the Scholarship Committee of the Randall M. and Callie Sue Leonard Michael Scholarship as amended from time to time.

19. **Senior Adult Committee:** The Senior Adult Committee will plan activities and ministry projects for member church senior adults and will communicate any appropriate state and national conferences and Chautauguas to member churches.

20. **Sunday School Committee:** (Also known as ACTeam, Associational Consultant Team Training) The Sunday School Committee will assist and challenge churches to improve and enlarge all areas of their Sunday School through planning, training, administration activities, consultation, program interpretation, and cooperative projects. It will encourage and assist churches to understand that the Sunday School is the foundational strategy in a local church for leading people to faith in the Lord Jesus Christ and for the building of Great Commission Christians through Bible study groups that engage people in evangelism, discipleship, fellowship, ministry and worship.

21. **Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee:** Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee (Foreign, Home, State, Association Missions) shall receive information, work with the Missions Development Committee, provide leadership and orientation for partnership project participants as needed. They will prepare a report for the annual meeting of the Association of work accomplished.

22. **Youth Ministries Committee:** The Youth Ministries Committee shall plan youth related ministries for the Association including retreats, rallies, and volunteer training.

B. **Election and Term:** The Standing Committees listed in Section A of this Article and the chairperson respectively thereof shall be nominated by the Nominating Committee and elected at the annual meeting of the Association. The term of office shall be one year beginning at the adjournment of the annual meeting in which the election was held.

C. **Other Committees and Councils:** The Association may create such other committees ~~and councils~~, not inconsistent with the Articles of Incorporation and these Bylaws, as may from time to time be required.

D. **Special Standing Committees, Auxiliary, Teams, & Representatives:**
Special Standing Committees, Auxiliary, Teams, and Representatives of the Association are Brotherhood/Baptist Men Committee/Leadership Team, the Committee on Nominations, Woman's Missionary Union. and Representatives as from time to time needed as determined by the Association upon recommendation of the Executive Board. Unless otherwise set out herein, nominations shall be made by the Nominating Committee for election at the annual meeting of the association for a term of one year beginning at the adjournment of the annual meeting in which the election was held. Each such standing committee, auxiliary, team, and representative shall furnish a written report for inclusion in the Book of Reports at the annual meeting and their other specific responsibilities are as follows:

1. **Brotherhood/Baptist Men Committe/Leadership Team:** The Brotherhood/Baptist Men Committee/Leadership Team will assist churches in involving men and boys in missions; helping churches engage men and boys in missions activities; helping churches prepare to teach missions to men and boys; helping churches lead men and boys to pray for and give to missions; helping churches lead men and boys to develop personal ministry; and helping churches interpret and undergird the work of the church and the denomination.
2. **Committee on Nominations:** The Committee on Nominations shall consist of three persons who shall be nominated by the officers and elected by the Association at the July meeting. The Committee on Nominations shall serve until the annual meeting when its report is made to the Association. The duty of the Committee on Nominations shall be to nominate the Nominating Committee at the Annual Meeting and to recommend to the Association individuals to fill any Nominating Committee vacancies during the year.
3. **Woman's Missionary Union:** The Woman's Missionary Union of Liberty Baptist Association is an auxiliary of Liberty Baptist Association. The Woman's Missionary Union is governed by its Constitution and Bylaws and elects its director, officers, and leadership team and are included for information in the Book of Reports of the Association. The Director of Woman's Missionary Union serves on the Missions Development Committee and Executive Board with full voting privileges.
4. **Bi-Vocational Ministers Representative:** A Bi-Vocational minister (active or retired) shall be elected to address needs of the Bi-Vocational ministerial staff.
5. **Christian Life and Public Affairs Representative:** A Christian Life and Public Affairs Representative will assist churches in awareness of critical moral and social issues and in leading in Christian action to meet these needs; in applying the gospel to all areas of life, in demonstrating responsible concern for society; in broadening cooperative efforts and emphases; and, in mobilizing and equipping the constituency to be on mission in regard to moral and ethical concerns. Areas of involvement include family life, race relations, citizenship, hunger, and other special moral concerns.
6. **Discipleship Training Representative:** A Discipleship Representative will assist churches in starting, improving, and expanding Christian discipleship through Discipleship Training to help churches equip church members for discipleship and personal ministry; teach Christian theology and Baptist doctrine, Christian ethics, Christian history, and church polity and organization; equip church leaders for service; and interpret and undergird the work of the church and Association.
7. **Hunger Awareness Representative:** A Hunger Awareness Representative will keep abreast of hunger needs throughout the world and apprize the Association of these needs. Upon request, the representative will assist churches in projects within the Association to meet specific needs.
8. **Seminary Extension Representative:** The Seminary Extension Representative will seek to provide college-level theological education to ministers and laypersons and basic theological education to ministers who lack formal education. The representative will assist

in securing necessary curriculum materials, administrative services, promotional materials, training materials for teachers, academic records, and certification of centers and teachers.

9. **Stewardship Representative:** The Stewardship Representative will assist churches in development of individual and corporate stewardship, interpretation of Biblical teachings on stewardship, and elevation of individual giving and corporate mission giving in light of Biblical teachings.

ARTICLE XII
ADOPTION AND AMENDMENT OF BYLAWS AND CORPORATE DOCUMENTS

A. Adoption:

These Bylaws shall be considered adopted and in immediate effect when a majority of the "Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in Article VII, G., at an annual meeting or a regular meeting shall vote in favor thereof. This vote shall be taken not less than thirty days after mailing a copy of these Bylaws to each member.

B. Amendment:

These Bylaws, the Articles of Incorporation, or any parts thereof may be amended, altered, or repealed only by a majority vote of "Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in Article VII, G., at the annual meeting or a regular meeting of the Association.

C. Preservation:

A copy of all original corporate records, including but not limited to the Articles of Incorporation, the Bylaws, and Personnel Policies, shall be maintained at all times by the Clerk in the office of the Association; and copies of the same shall be kept in separate locations. All amendments to said documents or to any provisions thereof shall be prepared promptly after adoption by the Association; and the Secretary shall cause the same and copies to be typed or printed in proper form and attached to the originals of respective documents and kept as above stated.

ARTICLE XIII
GENERAL AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

A. Fiscal Year:

The fiscal year of the Association shall be from September 1 to August 31.

B. Reports:

Reports of officers, committees, auxiliary, teams, representatives, and church letters to the annual meeting of the Association shall cover the period from September 1 to August 31. All reports for the annual meeting shall be in writing for inclusion in the published Book of Reports and shall be limited to 250 words.

C. Audit:

An annual audit or review of the financial records of the Association shall be conducted by an independent accounting firm elected by the Association upon recommendation of the Audit Committee and the Executive Board.

D. Records:

The membership rolls, minutes of meetings, and annual reports shall be available at all reasonable times for all reasonable purposes.

E. Policy Manual:

The Policy Manual shall contain documents of procedure and the adopted Budget and Nominations Report not inconsistent with the Articles of Incorporation and these Bylaws from various committees and councils that have been recommended to and approved by the Association. These policies will be governing rules and procedures of the respective committees and councils of the Association. They may be amended by the Association upon recommendation of the Executive Board.

F. Seal:

There shall appear within the center of the Corporate Seal of the Association the words "Corporate Seal," around which shall appear two concentric circles within which will be inscribed Liberty Baptist Association of North Carolina, 1832. Such seal, as impressed on the margin hereof, is hereby adopted as the corporate seal of the Corporation.

G. Gender:

The use of terms in these Bylaws that may in other contexts tend to denote gender is intended to be

neutral as to gender. The masculine shall be deemed to include the feminine and the feminine deemed to include the masculine.

H. Majority:

Unless these Bylaws or The General Statutes of North Carolina otherwise require a different number, a majority of those in attendance at any meeting of members or the Executive Board with a quorum present shall be required to effect any action.

As amended 10/7/96; 10/6/97; 10/5/98; and 10/1/2001.

HISTORICAL TABLE

Year	Where Held	Preacher	Moderator	Clerk
1832	Jamestown-1	George W. Purefoy	Wm Burch	Peter Owens
1833	Holloways	Jonah Williams	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1834	Abbotts Creek	Eli Carroll	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1835	Liberty	John Culpepper	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1836	Jersey	Eli Carroll	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1837	Lick Creek	Peter Owens	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1838	Abbotts Creek	Benjamin Lanier	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1839	Pine Meeting H-2	Eli Carroll	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1840	Holloways	Josiah Williams	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1841	N. Friendship	Benjamin Lanier	Gershom Tussey	Peter Owens
1842	Reeds X Roads	Barton Roby	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1843	Lick Creek	Benjamin Lanier	Benajmin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1844	Abbotts Creek	Wm. Turner	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1845	Jersey	Aifred Kenney	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1846	Lick Creek	Wm. Turner	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1847	Abbotts Creek	Wm. Turner	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1848	Reeds X Roads	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1849	Big Creek-3	Azariah Williams	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1850	Jamestown-1	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1851	Liberty	Wm. Turner	Wm. Turner	Azariah Williams
1852	Holloways	Z. Minor	Wm. Turner	Azariah Williams
1853	Abbotts Creek	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1854	Reeds X Roads	Alfred Kenney	Joseph Spurgeon	Azariah Williams
1855	Lick Creek	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1856	Abbotts Creek	Unknown	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1857	Reeds X Roads	Wm. Lambeth	Amos Weaver	Azariah Williams
1858	Holloways	Amos Weaver	Amos Weaver	Azariah Williams
1859	N. Friendship	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	J. H. Owens
1860	Jersey	Wm. Turner	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1861	Lick Creek	J. B. Jackson	J. B. Jackson	Azariah Williams
1862	Abbotts Creek	F. H. Jones	J. B. Jackson	Azariah Williams
1863	Thomasville	T. W. Tobey	J. B. Jackson	Azariah Williams
1864	Lick Creek	W. H. Hammer	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1865	No Session Held			
1866	Abbotts Creek	W. T. Walters	Benjamin Lanier	J. H. Owens
1867	Jersey	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	J. H. Owens
1868	Abbotts Creek	W. H. Hammer	Benjamin Lanier	J. H. Owens
1869	Big Creek-3	A. P. Stoker	Wm. Turner	J. H. Owens
1870	Pine Meeting H-2	Wm. Turner	Wm. Turner	J. H. Owens
1871	N. Friendship	W. M. Wingate	Wm. Turner	J. H. Owens
1872	Holloways	H. Morton	J. H. Brooks	J. L. Pleasant
1873	Lick Creek	Thomas Carrick	H. Morton	Thomas Carrick
1874	Muddy Creek-4	A. F. Redd	Wm. Turner	Thomas Carrick
1875	Reeds X Roads	C. T. Bailey	Wm. Turner	Thomas Carrick
1876	High Point	H. W. Reinhart	Wm. Turner	Thomas Carrick
1877	Big Creek-3	I. B. Richardson	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1878	Abbotts Creek	H. W. Reinhart	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1879	Liberty	Harvey Hatcher	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1880	Holloways	S. F. Conrad	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1881	Jersey	Henry Sheets	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1882	Muddy Creek-4	S. H. Thompson	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets

Year	Where Held	Preacher	Moderator	Clerk
1883	Pine Meeting H-2	O. F. Gregory	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1884	Summerville	S. H. Thompson	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1885	Lexington	I. B. Richardson	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1886	Abbotts Creek	I. B. Richardson	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1887	Lick Creek	Henry Sheets	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1888	Reeds X Roads	C. Durham	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1889	N. Friendship	W. F. Watson	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1890	Jersey	J. M. Bennett	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1891	Pine Meeting H-2	J. F. Fant	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1892	High Point	Henry Sheets	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1893	Kernersville	R. T. Bryan	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1894	Holloways	R. Vandeventor	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1895	Pleasant Grove-6	J. M. Hilliard	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1896	Denton	Henry Sheets	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1897	Piney Grove-5	W. H. Rich	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1898	Rich Fork	J. H. Lambeth	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1899	Abbotts Creek	S. B. Wilson	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1900	Reeds X Roads	W. H. Rich	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1901	Lexington	C.A.G. Thomas	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1902	Lick Creek	Henry Sheets	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1903	Jersey	W. A. Smith	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1904	Pine Meeting H-2	Geo. P. Harrill	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1905	N. Friendship	John R. Miller	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1906	Thomasville	J. S. Famer	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1907	Wallburg	R. T. Vann	J. W. Nowell	P. S. Vann
1908	Denton	M. L. Kesler	J. W. Nowell	P. S. Vann
1909	Liberty	S. D. Swaim	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1910	Orphanage	O. A. Keller	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1911	Abbotts Creek	G. A. Martin	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1912	Stoners Grove	O. A. Keller	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1913	Rich Fork	M. L. Kesler	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1914	Holloways	G. A. Martin	G. A. Martin	Henry Sheets
1915	Center Hill	O. A. Keller	O. A. Keller	Henry Sheets
1916	Wallburg	J. M. Mercer	O. A. Keller	Henry Sheets
1917	Smith Grove	Fred D. Hale	R. S. Green	Henry Sheets
1918	Lexington	M. L. Kesler	R. S. Green	Archibald Johnson
1919	Denton	R. E.White	R. S. Green	Archibald Johnson
1920	N. Friendship	J. S. Hardaway	R. S. Green	Archibald Johnson
1921	Churchland	M. L. Kesler	R. S. Green	Archibald Johnson
1922	Summerville	W. A. Hough	R. S. Green	Paul C. Newton
1923	Abbotts Creek	W. L. Barrs	Archibald Johnson	Paul C. Newton
1924	Reeds	C. H. Trueblood	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1925	Liberty	C. A. Owens	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1926	Rich Fork	E. N. Gardner	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1927	Thomasville	H. T. Penry	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1928	Holloways	M. L. Kesler	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1929	Stoners Grove	J. H. Hayes	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1930	Abbotts Creek	M. L. Kesler	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1931	Denton	M. O. Alexander	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith
1932	Lexington	G. A. Martin	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith
1933	Lick Creek	E. F. Mumford	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith
1934	Jersey	W. L. Warfford	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith

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1935	Mills Home	E. C. Roach	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1936	Reeds	J. A. Nellson	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1937	Churchland	W. K. Mcgee	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1938	Denton	John A. McMillan	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith
1939	Wallburg	H. M. Stroup	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1940	Center Hill	L. S. Gaines	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1941	N. Friendship	N. C. Teague	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1942	Liberty/Abbotts Creek	I. G. Greer	H. M. Stroup	Sam J. Smith
1943	Lexington	B. A. Mitchell	H. M. Stroup	Sam J. Smith
1944	Thomasville	C. B. Atkinson	H. M. Stroup	Sam J. Smith
1945	Jersey	J. Roy Clifford	N. C. Teague	A. L. Snider
1946	Denton	V. W. Sears	N. C. Teague	A. L. Snider
1947	Wallburg	E. F. Baker	N. C. Teague	A. L. Snider
1948	Smith Grove	Chas. F. Leek	N. C. Teague	A. L. Snider
1949	Sheets Memorial	J. O. Walton	J. O. Walton	A. L. Snider
1950	Stoners Grove/Holloways	C. M. Pegram	J. O. Walton	A. L. Snider
1951	Greenwood/Rich Fork	C. C. Edinger	J. O. Walton	A. L. Snider
1952	Churchland/Reeds	W. C. Reed	Sam J. Smith	W. H. Lomax
1953	N. Friendship/Welcome	J. T. Davis	Sam J. Smith	W. H. Lomax
1954	Oak Hill/Abbotts Creek	Robert Taylor	J. O. Walton	W. H. Lomax
1955	Jersey/Lexington,First	Elmer W. Day	J. O. Walton	W. H. Lomax
1956	Mills Home	W. N. Brookshire	J. Roy Clifford	J. Wade Jarrett
1957	Denton,First/Center Hill	Clarence Jenkins	J. Roy Clifford	J. Wade Jarrett
1958	Southside/Liberty	F. M. Powell	W. N. Brookshire	J. Wade Jarrett
1959	Reeds/Coggins Mem	Guy C. Moore	W. N. Brookshire	J. Wade Jarrett
1960	Wallburg/Greenwood	Inman Stewart	Leonard Rollins	Robert Nation
1961	Churchland/Smith Grove	W. H. Walton	Leonard Rollins	Robert Nation
1962	Oak Hill/Rich Fork	Fred Jurney	Roger Williams	Wm. F. Bowen, Jr.
1963	Erlanger/Park Place	Leonard Rollins	Roger Williams	Wm. F. Bowen, Jr.
1964	Carolina Mem/Stoner Grove	Charles Yount	B. V. Broadway	Wm. F. Bowen, Jr.
1965	Abbotts Creek/N.Friendship	Kenneth Miller	Carl Hemphill	Wm. F. Bowen, Jr.
1966	Thomasville,First/Center Hill	Bennie Crawford	Carl Hemphill	Richard Chapman
1967	Mills Home/Rich Fork	D. Hoke Coon	Bennie Crawford	Richard Chapman
1968	Lexington,First/Jersey	Carl Hemphill	Bennie Crawford	Dale R. Martin
1969	Denton,First/Summerville	H. M. Baker	William C. Adams	Dale R. Martin
1970	Hasty/Oak Hill	Jack Byrd	Jack Byrd	Dale R. Martin
1971	Welcome,First/Holloways	Melvin Greene	Jack Byrd	Morris Hollifield
1972	Greenwood/Hillside Park	Dean Harrold	Melvin Greene	Morris Hollifield
1973	Southside/Coggins Mem	James M. Lambert	Melvin Greene	Morris Hollifield
1974	Wallburg/Park Place	Dale R. Martin	Melvin Greene	Morris Hollifield
1975	Liberty/Carolina Mem	John H. Pace	Lamar L. Moore	Morris Hollifield
1976	Reeds/Smith Grove	Morris Hollifield	Lamar L. Moore	Morris Hollifield
1977	Welcome,First/Abbotts C.	Clyde B. Case	John H. Pace	Morris Hollifield
1978	Rich Fork/Calvary	Lamar L. Moore	John H. Pace	Morris Hollifield
1979	Churchland/N. Lexington	Jimmie Edwards	Max Evington	Morris Hollifield
1980	Jersey/Liberty	George Williamson	Max Evington	Morris Hollifield
1981	Coggins Mem/Southgate	Hugh Biggers	Warren Kerr	Morris Hollifield
1982	Abbotts Creek/Center Hill	Max Evington	Warren Kerr	Morris Hollifield
1983	N. Friendship/Wallburg	Dearl L. Bunce	Franklin Myers	Morris Hollifield
1984	Rich Fork/Greenwood	Robert Floyd	Brooks Hunt	Judy Wood
1985	Mills Home/Cedar Lodge	B. V. Broadway	Brooks Hunt	Judy Wood
1986	Carolina Mem/Hasty/Victory	Roy Cantrell	Brooks Hunt	Judy Wood

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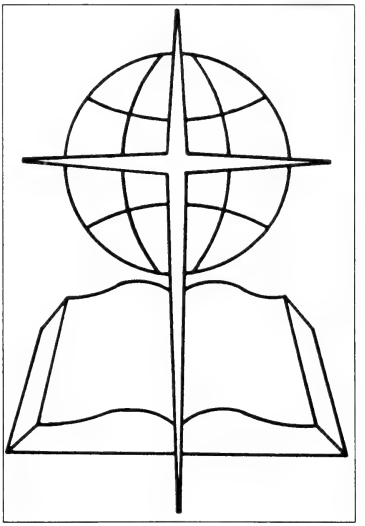
1987	Churchland/Welcome,First	Jake Sharpe	Roy Cantrell	Judy Wood
1988	Thomasville,First/Park Place	Warren Kerr	Roy Cantrell	Judy Wood
1989	Reeds/Smith Grove	Paul Millwood	Morris Hollifield	Judy Wood
1990	Lexington,First/N.Lexington	Brooks Hunt	Morris Hollifield	Judy Wood
1991	Denton,First/Mills Home	Roy Queen	Gary Myers	Judy Wood
1992	Wallburg/Abbotts Creek	Charles Dickens	Gary Myers	Judy Wood
1993	Southside/Faith	Gary Myers	Bruce Hill/ Charles Penley, Jr.	Gail Beck
1994	Rich Fork/Oak Hill	Byron Barker	Charles Penley, Jr.	Gail Beck
1995	Jersey/Summerville	Warren Kerr	Stuart White	Gail Beck
1996	Coggins Mem/Lakeview	Fred Miller	Stuart White	Gail Beck
1997	Center Hill/Holloways	Leonard Rollins	Charles Dickens	Gail Beck
1998	Carolina Mem/ Thomasville, First	Charles Penley, Jr.	Charles Dickens	Gail Beck
1999	Lexington, First/ Stoner's Grove	Ray Howell, III	Markus Sink	Gail Beck
2000	Carolina Mem/Abbotts Creek	E. Mark Blair	Markus Sink	Gail Beck
2001	Winter-Coggins Memorial	Michael Ester	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
	Spring-Southgate	Steve Martin	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
	Summer-Denton First	Mike Cummings	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
	Fall-Welcome, First	Steve Jarvis	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck

1. Is now High Point
2. Is now Churchland
3. Is now Eldorado
4. Is now Clemmons
5. Is now Wallburg
6. Is now Randleman



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further information and reference.

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	DIGEST OF CONGREGATIONAL PROFILES FOR 2000-2001 ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR							
				1	Total Membership			
				3	Total Baptisms			
				4	Other Additions			
				15	Total SS Enrollment			
				16	SS Average Attendance			
				18	Vacation Bible School			
				19+20	Total DT Enrollment/Participation			
				21	MM Total Enrollment			
No.	**Congregation**	**1**	**3**	**4**	**15**	**16**	**18**	**19+20**
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	781	8	22	458	303	328	256
2	AMITY	59	0	0	42	25	35	0
3	CAROLINA MEMORIA	831	18	17	541	297	305	204
3	CEDAR LODGE	256	16	2	122	68	66	23
5	CENTER HILL	298	2	8	158	75	55	0
6	CENTRAL	102	10	6	65	60	52	0
7	CHURCHLAND	499	2	4	217	115	92	25
8	CLEARVIEW	110	13	9	40	37	10	0
9	COGGINS MEMORIAL	670	11	16	502	182	225	107
10	COLONIAL	280	2	8	95	88	104	10
11	DENTON, FIRST	366	4	6	165	87	75	10
12	FAITH	156	5	2	97	57	111	0
13	FLOYD	109	2	2	36	28	50	0
14	GREENWOOD	385	9	7	196	143	156	0
15	HASTY	242	0	0	29	24	0	0
16	HIGH ROCK	94	0	0	20	12	0	0
17	HILLSIDE PARK	703	8	18	249	178	101	0
18	HOLLOWAYS	201	0	3	107	58	95	0
19	JERSEY	505	5	14	280	203	178	159
20	LAKEVIEW	168	1	5	63	36	67	4
21	LEXINGTON, FIRST	1,077	7	9	669	248	165	35
22	LIBERTY	748	1	0	215	166	80	33
23	LICK CREEK	99	0	3	65	43	94	0
24	MILLS HOME	1,005	2	3	97	60	0	80
25	MOUNTAIN VIEW	161	3	0	81	62	45	0
26	NEW FRIENDSHIP	458	11	0	193	148	143	0
27	NORTH LEXINGTON	350	15	6	227	184	327	73
28	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	434	3	13	149	77	121	0
29	OAKHURST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	PARK PLACE	501	7	5	404	287	184	45
31	REEDS	515	9	5	350	184	209	65
32	RICH FORK	1140	23	42	1080	470	200	375
33	SMITH GROVE	397	18	10	120	100	176	57
34	SOUTHGATE	509	5	9	167	78	79	76
35	SOUTHSIDE	349	8	4	92	67	96	0
36	STONERS GROVE	327	0	8	103	58	65	0
37	SUMMERVILLE	418	4	5	225	144	286	40
38	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	536	7	0	226	105	0	48
39	TRINITY	124	8	7	79	42	93	64
40	VICTORY	92	0	0	80	47	47	0
41	WALLBURG	404	6	0	200	98	72	42
42	WELCOME, FIRST	786	13	11	479	238	351	133
	TOTALS	17,245	266	289	8,783	4,982	4,938	1,964

			23	WMU Total Enrollment					
			24	Brotherhood Total Enrollment					
			26+27+28	Total Receipts					
			29 thru 35	Total Mission Expenditures					
			29	Cooperative Program					
			30	Associational Missions					
			36	Value of Congregational Property					
			37	Congregational Debt					
No.	**21**	**23**	**24**	**26+27+28**	**29-35**	**29**	**30**	**36**	**37**
1	96	108	70	491,092	571,592	9,225	6,375	2,172,500	174,000
2	16	19	0	36,877	1,270	480	440	260,600	0
3	109	113	74	520,905	105,357	40,306	14,847	3,000,000	361,189
4	57	42	30	180,511	14,228	5,000	1,300	900,000	33,322
5	22	32	0	112,899	10,070	1,000	1,200	1,300,000	0
6	20	23	8	85,197	11,387	748	748	450,000	222,000
7	76	47	15	169,944	29,724	14,000	2,400	2,000,000	300,000
8	18	0	0	24,584	800	0	200	75,000	0
9	104	65	52	732,654	56,933	18,668	10,590	1,700,000	251,000
10	50	48	28	225,519	28,630	15,443	3,813	900,000	0
11	38	20	0	243,709	121,102	6,905	3,785	2,000,000	0
12	24	33	28	59,148	5,782	878	550	375,000	0
13	15	0	0	25,106	2,365	400	300	213,000	0
14	98	61	59	200,368	25,766	5,500	2,500	500,000	0
15	15	0	0	77,947	6,470	4,620	520	700,000	0
16	8	0	0	5,573	125	25	100	250,000	0
17	91	35	12	280,756	4,549	0	1,100	1,500,000	0
18	18	32	12	69,625	12,845	7,810	1,953	750,000	0
19	115	151	74	379,062	66,910	20,000	4,500	3,650,000	0
20	5	12	0	53,201	5,893	3,054	509	260,000	0
21	152	119	15	911,837	134,063	28,000	7,000	6,300,000	0
22	40	56	52	187,949	19,960	13,039	3,260	2,041,000	0
23	21	17	0	47,387	6,024	528	0	269,500	0
24	130	6	0	8,834	1,567	1,119	448	1,308,000	0
25	33	16	15	80,226	8,132	4,714	1,000	360,000	0
26	20	0	10	244,661	37,201	11,570	3,976	2,000,000	0
27	83	62	0	299,086	40,462	22,955	1,200	1,850,000	55,800
28	37	26	0	167,828	11,809	2,160	3,500	1,020,366	458,236
29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	90	45	45	306,109	43,093	24,187	9,280	1,250,000	508,500
31	70	47	28	304,654	50,463	30,876	8,394	1,438,573	0
32	380	83	0	903,384	84,757	59,964	6,000	4,082,871	0
33	30	67	53	134,121	24,999	6,424	2,250	1,717,100	0
34	64	25	12	162,128	16,893	7,466	7,367	1,649,900	0
35	48	23	16	142,576	20,271	10,863	3,259	1,850,000	0
36	20	20	12	118,060	10,422	5,600	800	822,700	0
37	45	57	72	158,496	18,427	8,384	2,795	1,173,170	0
38	48	102	0	282,572	23,272	8,154	3,546	2,577,000	0
39	18	44	12	97,579	15,450	4,908	1,787	315,000	0
40	13	13	0	71,327	6,566	640	440	697,500	0
41	26	24	25	221,672	11,903	5,070	2,000	1,000,000	0
42	106	62	28	584,452	68,082	43,414	10,543	2,161,600	411,812
	2,469	1,755	857	$9,409,615	$1,735,614	$454,097	$136,575	$58,840,380	$2,775,859

MEMBER/CONGREGATION INFORMATION FOR 2000-2001 ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR

1 Total Membership
2 Resident Membership
3 Total Baptisms
a-Birth-5
b-Ages 6-8
c-Ages 9-11
d-Ages 12-17
e-Ages 18-29
f-Ages 30-59
g-Ages 60 & Up
4 Other Additions
5 New Member Training
6 Year Organized
7 Year Pastor Came
8 LOCATION CODE
A-Open Country
B-Village
C-Town
D-Small City
MEDIUM CITY
E-Downtown
F-Neighborhood
G-Suburbs

No.	Congregation	County	1	2	3	3a	3b	3c	3d	3e
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	Davidson	781	701	8	0	2	2	1	2
2	AMITY	Davidson	59	52	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	Davidson	832	651	18	0	2	5	2	4
3	CEDAR LODGE	Davidson	256	183	16	0	5	2	2	3
5	CENTER HILL	Davidson	298	159	2	0	0	0	0	0
6	CENTRAL	Davidson	102	97	10	0	1	1	2	1
7	CHURCHLAND	Davidson	499	445	2	0	0	0	0	1
8	CLEARVIEW	Davidson	110	110	13	0	0	2	0	1
9	COGGINS MEMORIAL	Davidson	670	545	11	0	1	4	3	1
10	COLONIAL	Randolph	280	277	2	0	0	0	1	1
11	DENTON, FIRST	Davidson	366	359	4	0	0	0	2	0
12	FAITH	Davidson	156	152	5	0	0	0	0	3
13	FLOYD	Davidson	109	79	2	0	0	0	1	0
14	GREENWOOD	Davidson	385	319	9	0	0	2	3	3
15	HASTY	Davidson	242	181	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	HIGH ROCK	Davidson	94	80	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	HILLSIDE PARK	Davidson	703	703	8	0	4	1	0	1
18	HOLLOWAYS	Davidson	201	109	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	JERSEY	Davidson	505	449	5	0	0	4	0	0
20	LAKEVIEW	Davidson	168	75	1	0	0	0	1	0
21	LEXINGTON, FIRST	Davidson	1,077	897	7	0	0	2	3	0
22	LIBERTY	Davidson	748	715	1	0	0	0	1	0
23	LICK CREEK	Davidson	99	75	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	MILLS HOME	Davidson	1,005	15	2	0	0	0	2	0
25	MOUNTAIN VIEW	Davidson	161	125	3	0	0	1	0	1
26	NEW FRIENDSHIP	Forsyth	458	434	11	0	0	0	8	1
27	NORTH LEXINGTON	Davidson	350	299	15	0	1	4	2	2
28	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	Davidson	434	434	3	0	0	0	0	2
29	OAKHURST	Davidson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	PARK PLACE	Davidson	501	470	7	0	0	1	3	3
31	REEDS	Davidson	515	463	9	0	0	2	0	6
32	RICH FORK	Davidson	1,140	1,105	23	0	6	10	2	0
33	SMITH GROVE	Davidson	397	330	18	1	3	4	5	2
34	SOUTHGATE	Davidson	509	250	5	0	1	1	1	2
35	SOUTHSIDE	Davidson	349	349	8	0	0	1	3	1
36	STONERS GROVE	Davidson	327	268	0	0	0	0	0	0
37	SUMMERVILLE	Davidson	418	368	4	0	2	1	0	0
38	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	Davidson	536	401	7	0	0	3	4	0
39	TRINITY	Davidson	124	100	8	0	1	1	2	2
40	VICTORY	Davidson	92	92	0	0	0	0	0	0
41	WALLBURG	Davidson	404	373	6	0	0	2	3	0
42	WELCOME, FIRST	Davidson	786	670	13	0	5	1	3	4
	TOTALS		17,246	13,959	266	1	34	57	60	47

				9	AM Worship Service Attendance								
				10	Church-Type Missions Started								
				11	Church-Type Missions Operated								
				12	Lost/Unchurched (Y/N)								
				13	Associational Giving on Percentage Basis (Y/N)								
LARGE CITY				14	Intercessory Prayer Ministry (Y/N)								
H-Downtown													
I-Neighborhood													
J-Suburbs													
No.	**3f**	**3g**	**4**	**5**	**6**	**7**	**8**	**9**	**10**	**11**	**12**	**13**	**14**
1	1	0	22	6	1832	2001	A	355	0	0	Y	Y	Y
2	0	0	0	0	1976	1986	A	37	0	0	Y	N	Y
3	4	1	17	0	1930	1991	F	328	0	1	Y	Y	Y
4	4	0	2	14	1963	2000	F	105	0	0	Y	Y	Y
5	2	0	8	0	1907	2000	G	127	0	0	N	N	N
6	4	1	6	0	1993	1999	D	75	0	0	Y	Y	Y
7	1	0	4	0	1837	1992	A	250	0	0	N	Y	Y
8	8	2	9	0	1953	1998	F	48	0	0	N	N	N
9	1	1	16	0	1951	1990	F	232	0	0	Y	Y	Y
10	0	0	8	1	1989	1998	A	130	0	0	Y	Y	Y
11	2	0	6	10	1891	1989	C	138	0	0	Y	Y	Y
12	2	0	2	4	1973	2000	A	80	0	0	Y	Y	Y
13	1	0	2	0	1942	1994	A	43	0	0	N	N	N
14	1	0	7	4	1946	1999	F	228	0	0	Y	N	Y
15	0	0	0	0	1957	0	A	45	0	0	N	Y	Y
16	0	0	0	0	1947	1997	A	18	0	0	N	N	N
17	1	1	18	0	1964	1978	C	335	0	0	Y	N	Y
18	0	0	3	0	1836	0	A	77	0	0	N	Y	Y
19	1	0	14	0	1755	1998	A	200	0	0	N	Y	Y
20	0	0	5	0	1944	0	A	45	0	0	Y	Y	N
21	2	0	9	2	1881	1990	F	500	0	0	Y	N	Y
22	0	0	0	0	1828	0	A	150	0	0	Y	Y	Y
23	0	0	3	0	1787	1993	A	52	0	0	Y	N	Y
24	0	0	3	0	1891	1992	F	60	0	0	N	Y	Y
25	1	0	0	0	1939	2000	A	80	0	0	Y	N	Y
26	2	0	0	0	1827	2001	A	147	0	0	N	Y	N
27	6	0	6	21	1916	1975	F	170	0	2	Y	Y	Y
28	1	0	13	0	1939	1989	A	150	0	0	N	N	Y
29	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0			
30	0	0	5	0	1938	1994	F	187	0	0	Y	Y	Y
31	1	0	5	0	1839	1998	A	190	0	0	Y	Y	N
32	4	1	42	100	1884	1982	G	600	0	0	Y	Y	Y
33	3	0	10	0	1909	0	A	115	0	0	Y	Y	Y
34	0	0	9	0	1946	1998	F	150	0	0	Y	Y	Y
35	2	1	4	0	1913	1999	C	109	0	0	Y	Y	N
36	0	0	8	0	1900	0	A	90	0	0	N	Y	Y
37	1	0	5	2	1873	1999	A	200	0	0	Y	Y	Y
38	0	0	0	0	1859	1999	E	140	0	0	Y	N	Y
39	2	0	7	0	1981	1997	A	71	0	0	Y	Y	Y
40	0	0	0	0	1954	2000	A	65	0	0	N	N	N
41	1	0	0	0	1892	0	B	100	0	0	N	N	Y
42	0	0	11	24	1911	1999	D	305	0	0	Y	Y	Y
	59	8	289	188				6,527	0	3			

	BIBLE STUDY/SUNDAY SCHOOL INFORMATION FOR 2000-2001 ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR							
			15	Total SS Enrollment				
				a-Birth-5				
				b-Ages 6-11				
				c-Ages 12-17				
				d-Ages 18-24				
				e-Ages 25-34				
				f-Ages 35-54				
No.	**Congregation**	**15**	**15a**	**15b**	**15c**	**15d**	**15e**	**15f**
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	458	49	53	41	22	45	111
2	AMITY	42	1	5	5	1	4	12
3	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	541	55	67	48	15	53	140
4	CEDAR LODGE	122	3	9	6	16	6	13
5	CENTER HILL	158	11	16	6	5	6	20
6	CENTRAL	65	7	8	10	1	8	12
7	CHURCHLAND	217	23	23	20	11	44	36
8	CLEARVIEW	40	1	7	1	3	0	15
9	COGGINS MEMORIAL	502	53	67	57	37	54	92
10	COLONIAL	95	4	13	18	12	10	21
11	DENTON, FIRST	165	4	11	13	20	19	15
12	FAITH	97	12	10	6	8	10	27
13	FLOYD	36	6	2	7	0	2	8
14	GREENWOOD	196	20	24	15	25	18	25
15	HASTY	29	0	0	3	0	0	13
16	HIGH ROCK	20	1	2	1	2	3	5
17	HILLSIDE PARK	249	29	23	23	9	16	101
18	HOLLOWAYS	107	7	8	10	2	7	18
19	JERSEY	280	21	25	21	8	30	55
20	LAKEVIEW	63	5	12	7	0	12	9
21	LEXINGTON, FIRST	669	36	33	50	26	97	107
22	LIBERTY	215	16	22	21	17	37	15
23	LICK CREEK	65	4	9	16	0	5	14
24	MILLS HOME	97	0	3	60	5	10	12
25	MOUNTAIN VIEW	81	5	6	10	6	8	11
26	NEW FRIENDSHIP	193	35	14	21	0	32	37
27	NORTH LEXINGTON	221	27	36	31	5	14	58
28	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	149	27	20	7	8	20	43
29	OAKHURST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	PARK PLACE	404	22	42	38	4	52	52
31	REEDS	350	33	24	21	24	35	87
32	RICH FORK	1080	109	127	137	98	120	200
33	SMITH GROVE	120	20	11	8	7	31	4
34	SOUTHGATE	167	20	29	17	10	6	15
35	SOUTHSIDE	92	10	14	9	1	8	6
36	STONERS GROVE	103	4	9	8	0	10	21
37	SUMMERVILLE	225	29	32	24	10	28	32
38	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	226	6	22	31	4	5	39
39	TRINITY	79	2	11	15	5	0	29
40	VICTORY	80	1	2	4	7	3	13
41	WALLBURG	200	5	10	30	6	10	10
42	WELCOME, FIRST	479	47	43	59	74	83	66
	TOTALS	8,777	770	904	935	514	961	1,619

		g-Ages 55-and Up				
		h-SS Officers				
		i-Other Bible Study				
	16	SS Average Weekly Attendance				
	17	Non Congregation Member				
	18	Vacation Bible School				
No.	**15g**	**15h**	**15i**	**16**	**17**	**18**
1	134	3	0	303	11	328
2	3	2	0	25	4	35
3	37	3	0	297	9	305
4	29	5	5	68	0	66
5	13	4	28	75	12	55
6	10	2	0	60	0	52
7	17	7	0	115	59	92
8	3	10	0	37	10	10
9	68	7	0	182	20	225
10	7	5	0	88	0	104
11	19	5	10	87	11	75
12	17	3	0	57	5	111
13	4	0	0	28	7	50
14	20	4	0	143	15	156
15	0	2	0	24	0	0
16	2	0	0	12	0	0
17	28	8	12	178	0	106
18	18	2	0	58	14	95
19	60	0	0	203	12	178
20	7	11	0	36	1	67
21	48	8	150	248	18	165
22	17	6	0	166	24	80
23	9	0	0	43	12	94
24	5	2	0	60	0	0
25	20	1	0	62	0	45
26	40	2	0	148	38	143
27	23	4	0	184	21	182
28	20	4	0	77	0	12
29	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	43	4	100	187	118	187
31	45	73	8	184	46	209
32	75	15	169	470	0	200
33	5	20	0	100	0	176
34	42	5	0	78	7	79
35	18	7	0	67	22	96
36	13	5	0	58	9	65
37	24	4	0	144	0	286
38	10	0	0	105	0	0
39	0	2	0	42	3	93
40	10	4	22	47	0	47
41	129	0	0	98	0	72
42	55	13	0	238	35	351
	1,147	262	504	4,882	543	4,692

DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING INFORMATION FOR 2000-2001 ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR							
		19	TOTAL ONGOING DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING				
			a-Birth-5				
			b-Ages 6-11				
			c-Ages 12-17				
			d-Ages 18 & Up				
			e-DT General Offiers				
No.	**Congregation**	**19**	**19a**	**19b**	**19c**	**19d**	**19e**
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	82	24	30	22	0	6
2	AMITY	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	105	13	30	42	18	2
3	CEDAR LODGE	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	CENTER HILL	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	CENTRAL	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	CHURCHLAND	25	0	0	17	6	2
8	CLEARVIEW	0	0	0	0	0	0
9	COGGINS MEMORIAL	95	17	18	24	30	6
10	COLONIAL	10	0	0	9	0	1
11	DENTON, FIRST	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	FAITH	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	FLOYD	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	GREENWOOD	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	HASTY	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	HIGH ROCK	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	HILLSIDE PARK	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	HOLLOWAYS	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	JERSEY	64	7	9	10	36	2
20	LAKEVIEW	4	0	0	2	0	2
21	LEXINGTON, FIRST	35	0	0	35	0	0
22	LIBERTY	21	5	4	10	0	2
23	LICK CREEK	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	MILLS HOME	80	0	3	60	15	2
25	MOUNTAIN VIEW	0	0	0	0	0	0
26	NEW FRIENDSHIP	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	NORTH LEXINGTON	69	0	30	30	0	9
28	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	0	0	0	0	0	0
29	OAKHURST	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	PARK PLACE	45	9	15	15	0	6
31	REEDS	65	0	0	0	65	0
32	RICH FORK	300	10	30	100	150	10
33	SMITH GROVE	0	0	0	0	0	0
34	SOUTHGATE	76	8	17	18	30	3
35	SOUTHSIDE	0	0	0	0	0	0
36	STONERS GROVE	0	0	0	0	0	0
37	SUMMERVILLE	36	0	0	0	35	1
38	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	38	0	0	24	14	0
39	TRINITY	39	0	12	0	27	0
40	VICTORY	0	0	0	0	0	0
41	WALLBURG	42	0	0	0	42	0
42	WELCOME, FIRST	0	0	0	0	0	0
	TOTALS	1,231	93	198	418	468	54

		20 TOTAL SHORT-TERM DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING					
		a-Ages Birth-5					
		b-Ages 6-11					
		c-Ages 12-17					
		d-S-T Adults/Gen.Officers					
		19+20 Total DT Enrollment/Participation					
No.	**20**	**20a**	**20b**	**20c**	**20d**	**19+20**	
1	174	0	0	24	150	256	
2	0	0	0	0	0	0	
3	99	0	7	0	92	204	
4	23	0	2	0	21	23	
5	0	0	0	0	0	0	
6	0	0	0	0	0	0	
7	0	0	0	0	0	25	
8	0	0	0	0	0	0	
9	12	0	0	0	12	107	
10	0	0	0	0	0	10	
11	10	0	0	2	8	10	
12	0	0	0	0	0	0	
13	0	0	0	0	0	0	
14	0	0	0	0	0	0	
15	0	0	0	0	0	0	
16	0	0	0	0	0	0	
17	0	0	0	0	0	0	
18	0	0	0	0	0	0	
19	95	0	7	0	88	159	
20	0	0	0	0	0	4	
21	0	0	0	0	0	35	
22	12	0	0	0	12	33	
23	0	0	0	0	0	0	
24	0	0	0	0	0	80	
25	0	0	0	0	0	0	
26	0	0	0	0	0	0	
27	5	0	0	0	5	74	
28	0	0	0	0	0	0	
29	0	0	0	0	0	0	
30	0	0	0	0	0	45	
31	0	0	0	0	0	65	
32	75	0	0	0	75	375	
33	57	0	0	6	51	57	
34	0	0	0	0	0	76	
35	0	0	0	0	0	0	
36	0	0	0	0	0	0	
37	4	0	1	0	3	40	
38	10	0	0	0	10	48	
39	25	0	0	0	25	64	
40	0	0	0	0	0	0	
41	0	0	0	0	0	42	
42	133	7	29	61	36	133	
	734	7	46	93	588	1,965	

FINANCIAL INFORMATION FOR 2000-2001 ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR

26 Undesignated Girfts
27 Designated Gifts
28 Other Receipts
29 Cooperative Program
30 Associational Missions

No.	Congregation	26	27	28	29	30
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	349,206	129,749	12,137	9,225	6,375
2	AMITY	29,719	7,158	0	480	440
3	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	446,295	70,032	4,578	40,306	14,847
3	CEDAR LODGE	144,394	34,033	2,084	5,000	1,300
5	CENTER HILL	97,990	8,010	6,899	1,000	1,200
6	CENTRAL	80,780	4,162	255	748	748
7	CHURCHLAND	141,499	18,886	9,559	14,000	2,400
8	CLEARVIEW	20,800	3,784	0	0	200
9	COGGINS MEMORIAL	305,446	58,330	368,878	18,668	10,590
10	COLONIAL	192,719	32,800	0	15,443	3,813
11	DENTON, FIRST	134,613	109,096	0	6,905	3,785
12	FAITH	52,206	6,942	0	878	550
13	FLOYD	24,796	310	0	400	300
14	GREENWOOD	186,622	7,237	6,509	5,500	2,500
15	HASTY	51,249	0	26,698	4,620	520
16	HIGH ROCK	5,529	44	0	25	100
17	HILLSIDE PARK	279,144	1,612	0	0	1,100
18	HOLLOWAYS	68,086	724	815	7,810	1,953
19	JERSEY	258,039	64,138	56,885	20,000	4,500
20	LAKEVIEW	50,902	2,193	106	3,054	509
21	LEXINGTON FIRST	746,150	114,848	50,839	28,000	7,000
22	LIBERTY	165,957	19,389	2,603	13,039	3,260
23	LICK CREEK	34,075	13,045	267	528	0
24	MILLS HOME	7,985	849	0	1,119	448
25	MOUNTAIN VIEW	72,093	8,133	0	4,714	1,000
26	NEW FRIENDSHIP	189,905	50,476	4,280	11,570	3,976
27	NORTH LEXINGTON	230,866	68,220	0	22,955	1,200
28	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	160,749	6,226	853	2,160	3,500
29	OAKHURST	0	0	0	0	0
30	PARK PLACE	247,134	58,975	0	24,187	9,280
31	REEDS	210,991	93,663	0	30,876	8,394
32	RICH FORK	761,940	97,929	43,515	59,964	6,000
33	SMITH GROVE	117,639	10,857	5,625	6,424	2,250
34	SOUTHGATE	151,430	10,698	0	7,466	7,367
35	SOUTHSIDE	108,628	11,857	22,091	10,863	3,259
36	STONERS GROVE	94,630	14,339	9,091	5,600	800
37	SUMMERVILLE	120,690	37,806	0	8,384	2,795
38	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	221,165	59,729	1,678	8,154	3,546
39	TRINITY	74,443	23,136	0	4,908	1,787
40	VICTORY	61,563	8,185	1,579	640	440
41	WALLBURG	177,806	29,051	14,815	5,070	2,000
42	WELCOME, FIRST	361,452	199,148	23,852	43,414	10,543
	TOTALS	$7,237,325	$1,495,799	$676,491	$454,097	$136,575

	31	State Missions					
	32	Annie Armstrong					
	33	Lottie Moon					
	34	Other SBC Mission Expenditures					
	35	Non-SBC Mission Expenditures					
No.	**31**	**32**	**33**	**34**	**35**	**36**	**37**
1	4,350	8,001	11,101	7,511	525,029	2,172,500	174,000
2	110	40	75	125	0	260,600	0
3	5,821	7,747	19,552	7,060	10,024	3,000,000	361,189
3	855	2,017	3,500	167	1,389	900,000	33,322
5	826	890	2,344	505	3,305	1,300,000	0
6	2,244	1,000	857	3,740	2,050	450,000	222,000
7	1,086	320	918	11,000	0	2,000,000	300,000
8	100	100	200	200	0	75,000	0
9	2,668	1,640	4,875	10,080	8,412	1,700,000	251,000
10	0	2,336	5,097	1,941	0	900,000	0
11	922	660	1,265	50,552	56,923	2,000,000	0
12	425	583	660	1,275	1,411	375,000	0
13	200	200	205	0	1,060	213,000	0
14	950	1,436	2,884	3,546	8,950	500,000	0
15	500	310	520	0	0	700,000	0
16	0	0	0	0	0	250,000	0
17	91	104	2,500	754	0	1,500,000	0
18	285	715	1,035	835	212	750,000	0
19	15,226	6,739	12,722	3,770	3,953	3,650,000	0
20	0	525	530	158	1,117	260,000	0
21	17,500	640	1,125	13,050	66,748	6,300,000	0
22	127	665	1,309	615	945	2,041,000	0
23	637	258	540	1,661	2,400	269,500	0
24	0	0	0	0	0	1,308,000	0
25	0	625	1,338	255	200	360,000	0
26	308	2,505	11,291	1,350	6,201	2,000,000	0
27	545	1,603	4,864	6,895	2,400	1,850,000	55,800
28	480	1,000	4,311	143	215	1,020,366	458,236
29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	901	2,520	4,586	344	1,275	1,250,000	508,500
31	1,409	1,785	4,138	3,861	0	1,438,573	0
32	1,401	4,774	8,730	0	3,888	4,082,871	0
33	252	4,564	4,414	3,018	4,077	1,717,100	0
34	0	572	1,263	0	225	1,649,900	0
35	320	1,587	2,068	214	1,960	1,850,000	0
36	70	337	1,556	1,159	900	822,700	0
37	1,093	1,290	2,916	85	1,864	1,173,170	0
38	1,332	2,329	5,145	2,267	499	2,577,000	0
39	616	892	1,255	5,355	637	315,000	0
40	420	1,486	2,464	1,116	0	697,500	0
41	110	260	4,138	325	0	1,000,000	0
42	2,301	3,789	6,488	1,547	0	2,161,600	411,812
	$66,481	$68,844	$144,779	$146,479	$718,269	$58,840,380	$2,775,859

MISSIONS INVOLVEMENT/EDUCATION INFORMATION FOR 2000-2001

ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR

22 MISSION PROJECTS PARTICIPATION
a-Local Community
b-State/National
c-Canada
d-International
23 TOTAL WMU ENROLLMENT
24 TOTAL BROTHERHOOD ENROLLMENT

No.	Congregation	22	22a	22b	22c	22d	23	24
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	118	48	2	61	7	108	70
2	AMITY	0	0	0	0	0	19	0
3	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	88	59	15	14	0	113	74
3	CEDAR LODGE	5	1	1	2	1	42	30
5	CENTER HILL	1	0	0	1	0	32	0
6	CENTRAL	0	0	0	0	0	23	8
7	CHURCHLAND	14	10	2	1	1	47	15
8	CLEARVIEW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9	COGGINS MEMORIAL	6	6	0	0	0	65	52
10	COLONIAL	16	12	4	0	0	48	28
11	DENTON, FIRST	0	0	0	0	0	20	0
12	FAITH	0	0	0	0	0	33	28
13	FLOYD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	GREENWOOD	31	17	10	1	3	61	59
15	HASTY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	HIGH ROCK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	HILLSIDE PARK	0	0	0	0	0	35	12
18	HOLLOWAYS	12	12	0	0	0	32	12
19	JERSEY	243	180	38	20	5	151	74
20	LAKEVIEW	7	0	5	1	1	12	0
21	LEXINGTON, FIRST	231	125	50	31	25	119	15
22	LIBERTY	111	15	80	6	10	56	52
23	LICK CREEK	0	0	0	0	0	17	0
24	MILLS HOME	0	0	0	0	0	6	0
25	MOUNTAIN VIEW	0	0	0	0	0	16	15
26	NEW FRIENDSHIP	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
27	NORTH LEXINGTON	10	0	3	6	1	62	0
28	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	0	0	0	0	0	26	0
29	OAKHURST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	PARK PLACE	2	0	0	1	1	45	45
31	REEDS	191	125	25	0	41	47	28
32	RICH FORK	162	30	50	65	17	83	0
33	SMITH GROVE	181	175	0	6	0	67	53
34	SOUTHGATE	8	8	0	0	0	25	12
35	SOUTHSIDE	21	14	7	0	0	23	16
36	STONERS GROVE	0	0	0	0	0	20	12
37	SUMMERVILLE	9	8	1	0	0	57	72
38	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	463	253	70	70	70	102	0
39	TRINITY	44	30	4	10	0	44	12
40	VICTORY	2	2	0	0	0	13	0
41	WALLBURG	0	0	0	0	0	24	25
42	WELCOME, FIRST	31	0	1	27	3	62	28
	TOTALS	2,007	1,130	368	323	186	1,755	857

	MUSIC MINISTRY INFORMATION FOR 2000-2001 ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR						
		21	TOTAL MUSIC MINISTRY ENROLLMENT				
			a-Ages 3-5				
			b-Ages 6-11				
			c-Ages12-17				
			d-Ages 18 & Up				
			e-Other Music Groups				
No.	**Congregation**	**21**	**21a**	**21b**	**21c**	**21d**	**21e**
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	96	15	25	10	42	4
2	AMITY	16	0	3	4	9	0
3	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	109	20	12	2	55	20
3	CEDAR LODGE	57	0	6	5	35	11
5	CENTER HILL	22	0	0	0	22	0
6	CENTRAL	20	0	0	0	20	0
7	CHURCHLAND	76	22	5	2	32	15
8	CLEARVIEW	18	0	0	0	18	0
9	COGGINS MEMORIAL	104	10	40	15	35	4
10	COLONIAL	50	0	10	5	35	0
11	DENTON, FIRST	38	4	8	6	20	0
12	FAITH	24	0	0	7	12	5
13	FLOYD	15	0	0	2	13	0
14	GREENWOOD	98	12	15	11	41	19
15	HASTY	15	0	0	0	15	0
16	HIGH ROCK	8	0	0	0	8	0
17	HILLSIDE PARK	91	7	22	2	50	10
18	HOLLOWAYS	18	0	0	0	18	0
19	JERSEY	115	12	18	10	45	30
20	LAKEVIEW	5	0	0	0	0	5
21	LEXINGTON FIRST	152	14	12	23	80	23
22	LIBERTY	40	2	13	0	17	8
23	LICK CREEK	21	0	0	0	21	0
24	MILLS HOME	130	120	0	10	0	0
25	MOUNTAIN VIEW	33	0	5	8	20	0
26	NEW FRIENDSHIP	20	0	0	0	20	0
27	NORTH LEXINGTON	83	0	30	0	45	8
28	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	37	0	0	0	37	0
29	OAKHURST	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	PARK PLACE	90	6	6	18	50	10
31	REEDS	70	0	19	18	33	0
32	RICH FORK	380	30	91	74	116	69
33	SMITH GROVE	30	0	0	7	18	5
34	SOUTHGATE	64	7	9	6	35	7
35	SOUTHSIDE	48	7	10	0	21	10
36	STONERS GROVE	20	0	0	1	19	0
37	SUMMERVILLE	45	2	8	6	25	4
38	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	48	4	6	4	22	12
39	TRINITY	18	0	0	0	18	0
40	VICTORY	13	0	0	2	9	2
41	WALLBURG	26	0	0	0	26	0
42	WELCOME, FIRST	106	7	24	8	29	38
	TOTALS	2,469	301	397	266	1,186	319

NOTES

2002 Annual

"FOLLOWING GOD IN CHANGING TIMES!"

Winter Quarterly Meeting - *"Youth-Changing Tomorrow!"*
Spring Quarterly Meeting - *"Christians-Changing the World!"*
Summer Quarterly Meeting - *"Churches-Changing Our Communities!"*
Annual Meeting - *"Discipleship-Change Begins With Me!"*

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Minutes of

LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
North Carolina
2002

January 14, 2002
Winter Quarterly Meeting
REEDS BAPTIST CHURCH
Lexington, North Carolina

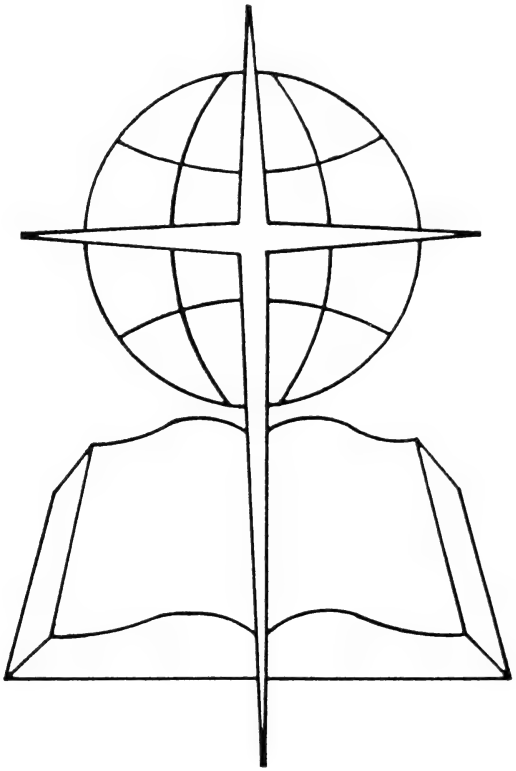
April 8, 2002
Spring Quarterly Meeting
NEW FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH
Winston-Salem, North Carolina

July 8, 2002
Summer Quarterly Meeting
CEDAR LODGE BAPTIST CHURCH
Thomasville, North Carolina

One Hundred Sixty-Ninth Annual Session
October 7, 2002
CHURCHLAND BAPTIST CHURCH
Lexington, North Carolina

Mission Statement:

To be a Spirit-led family of churches who train, counsel, encourage and assist each other in fulfilling the Great Commandment and Great Commission"



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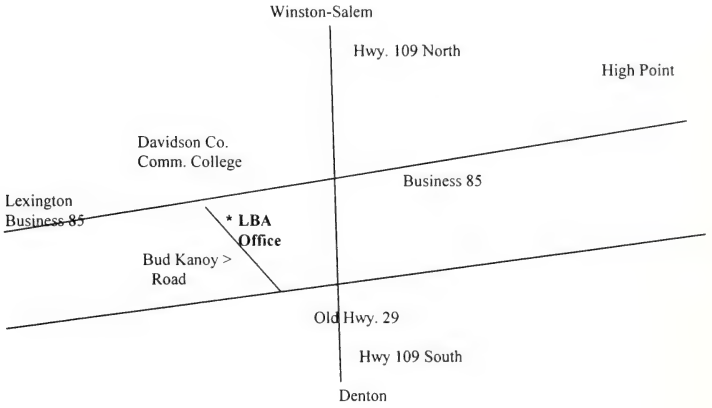

LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION OF NORTH CAROLINA
CALENDAR OF EVENTS - 2002-2003

SEPTEMBER 2002

2 **Labor Day Holiday (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)**
3 **5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office**
6-7 Equipping Today's Church (ETC) Conference, Ridgecrest
8-15 Week of Prayer and North Carolina Missions Offering
9 **7:00 pm-*"On Mission Celebration"* Meeting with Participating Churches, North Lexington**
12 **7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office**
13-14 NC Baptist Men's Board Meeting, Baptist State Convention, Cary
14-15 Sunday School Leader Training I, Caraway
15 **3:00 pm-WMU Leadership Team, Associational Office**
16 **7:00 pm-Bible Drills Rally, Jersey Baptist Church**
19 **12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office**
20-21 Lad/Crusader Camporee, Caraway Campgrounds
20-21 Sunday School Leader Training II, Caraway
20-21 WMU Executive Board Meeting, Mundo Vista
25 **10:30 am-Minister's Conference, Associational Office**
26 **7:00 pm-Missions Development Committee, Associational Office**

OCTOBER 2002

Cooperative Program Month/Stewardship Emphasis (all of October)
4-5 Women of Faith Conference, Charlotte Coliseum
7 **Annual Meeting, Churchland Baptist Church**
11-12 Royal Ambassador/Challenger Leadership Training, Caraway
13 World Hunger Day
14 **5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office**
14 **7:00 pm-Brotherhood/Baptist Men Leadership Team, Associational Office**
17 **12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office**
18-19 Adult Campcraft Training, Caraway Campgrounds
18-19 Literacy Missions Retreat, Caraway
25-26 Addiction Conference, Caraway
26 **Y.E.S Rally, Rich Fork Baptist Church**
27-30 ***"ON MISSION CELEBRATION"*-Association-Wide**
28 **10:30 am-Minister's Conference, Associational Office**

NOVEMBER 2002

3-9 Royal Ambassador Week in the Churches
4 Baptist Women's Day of Prayer
4 Regional Bible Drill/Speaker's Tournament Training (TBA)
4-6 NC Baptist Secretaries Conference, Caraway
6 **10:00 am-Evangelism Committee, Associational Office**
8-9 Young Women on Mission Get Away, Caraway
10-17 Week of Prayer and Special Offering for Baptist Children's Homes
11-13 NC Baptist Convention Annual Meeting, Winston-Salem
19 **Prison Gift Distribution, Davidson Correctional Center for Men, Lexington**
25 **10:30 am-Minister's Conference, Associational Office**
28-29 **Thanksgiving Holiday (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)**

DECEMBER 2002

2 **5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office**
2-9 Week of Prayer for International Missions & Lottie Moon Christmas Offering
4 **10:00 am-Evangelism Committee, Associational Office**
9 **6:30 pm-Minister's Conference Christmas Banquet, Jersey Baptist Church**
12 **7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office**

19 7:00 pm-Missions Development Committee, Associational Office
24-26 Christmas Holidays (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)

JANUARY 2003

1 New Year's Holiday (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)
4 10:00 am-WMU Leadership Team, Associational Office
6 Winter Quarterly Meeting - Greenwood Baptist Church, Thomasville
13 7:00 pm-Youth Ministries Committee, First Baptist Church, Welcome
16 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
17-18 NC Baptist Men's Board Meeting, Caraway
26 Baptist Men's Day in the Churches
31-Feb. 1 - Mother/Daughter Camp Training, Mundo Vista

FEBRUARY 2003

2-9 Week of Prayer and Special Offering for Baptist Retirement Homes
3 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
6-8 Preschool/Children Certification Course, Part I-Thomasville
10-11 1:00 pm Monday-9:15 pm Tuesday-State Evangelism Conference
Hunter Hills Baptist Church, Greensboro
10-16 Focus on WMU
16 NC Baptist College Day
17 7:00 pm-VBS Early Planning Clinic, Carolina Memorial Baptist Church
20 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
23 Volunteers in Missions Day
28-March 1 Baptist Missions Conference/Baptist Men's Convention, Winston-Salem

MARCH 2003

2-9 Week of Prayer for North American Missions & Annie Armstrong Easter Offering
6-8 Preschool/Children Certification Course, Part II-Thomasville
20 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
21-23 WMU Missions Extravaganza I, Ridgecrest
27 7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office
28-30 WMU Missions Extravaganza II, Ridgecrest
30 Bible Drills - Location & Time TBA

APRIL 2003

3 7:00 pm-Missions Development Committee, Associational Office
7 Spring Quarterly Meeting - Colonial Baptist Church, Trinity
12 CIA/Missions Kids Day, Mundo Vista
12 Royal Ambassador Congress
12 10:00 am-1:00 pm-WMU Prayer Retreat, First Baptist Church, Denton
13 Cooperative Missions Day
13 3:00 pm-WMU Leadership Team, Associational Office
17 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
20 EarthStewards Sunday
25 - GA Day, Mundo Vista
25-26 Father/Son Overnight (1-6 grades), Caraway
25-26 Disaster Relief Expo, Caraway
26 GA Day, Mundo Vista
28 6:30-8:45 pm-WMU Annual Meeting/Salad Supper, Liberty Baptist Church

MAY 2003

5 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
9 State Royal Ambassador/Challengers Track Meet
15 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
26 Memorial Day Holiday (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)

JUNE 2003

Vacation Bible Schools (June - August)

2 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
9 Caraway Summer Camp for Boys Opens
19 6:30 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
19 7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office
20-21 WMU Associational Leadership Training, Caraway
26 7:00 pm-Missions Development Committee, Associational Office

JULY 2002

4 July 4th Holiday (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)
7 Summer Quarterly Meeting - Center Hill Baptist Church, Lexington
11-12 WMU Associational Leadership Training, Caraway
18-19 Bi-Vocational Ministers Conference, Caraway
29-Aug. 1 - National Acteens Convention, Nashville, TN

AUGUST 2003

4 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
5 6:30 pm-Church Clerk's Conference, Associational Office
8-9 Church Brotherhood Leadership Training, Caraway
22-23 Women's Prayer Evangelism Conference, Ridgecrest

SEPTEMBER 2003

1 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
4 Labor Day Holiday (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)
7-14 Week of Prayer for North Carolina Missions Offering
18 7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office
19-20 Lad/Crusader Camporee, Caraway Campgrounds
20-21 Lad/Crusader Camporee, Caraway Campgrounds
25 7:00 pm-Missions Development Committee, Associational Office

OCTOBER 2003

6 Annual Meeting - Wallburg Baptist Church, Wallburg
12 World Hunger Day
24-25 WMU Resource Team Training, Caraway
24-25 Addictions Conference, Caraway

NOVEMBER 2003

2-8 Royal Ambassadors Week in the Churches
3 Baptist Women's Day of Prayer
10-12 Baptist State Convention, Winston-Salem
27-28 Thanksgiving Holidays (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)
30-Dec. 7 - Week of Prayer for International Missions & Lottie Moon Christmas Offering

DECEMBER 2003

24-26 Christmas Holidays (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)

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January 6, 2003 - Winter Meeting
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Thomasville, North Carolina

April 7, 2003 - Spring Meeting
Colonial Baptist Church
6792 Welborn Road
Trinity, North Carolina

July 7, 2003 - Summer Meeting
Center Hill Baptist Church
3759 NC Highway 8
Lexington, North Carolina

October 6, 2003 - Annual Meeting
Wallburg Baptist Church
5341 Wallburg Road
Wallburg, North Carolina

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(September 1, 2001 through August 31, 2002)

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First Baptist Church, Denton ..... **Andy Tuttle, Youth Minister**
First Baptist Church, Lexington ..... **Lisa M. Martin, Parish Nurse**
First Baptist Church, Lexington ..... **Alan Sherouse, Youth Minister**
Lakeview Baptist Church ..... **Tim Flint, Pastor**
Liberty Baptist Church ..... **Jimmy Uhl, Interim Pastor**
Smith Grove Baptist Church ..... **Chris Noland, Pastor**
Stoner's Grove Baptist Church ..... **Bill Hicks, Pastor**
Stoner's Grove Baptist Church ..... **Walter V. Hunter, Youth Minister**
Wallburg Baptist Church ..... **David Goggin, Music Director**

HISTORICAL EVENTS

Abbotts Creek-Built ramps for use by homebound members. Assisted a team of 13 people on church construction mission trip to Alaska; five people on a Camp/Teaching Mission trip to Alaska; three people to S. Africa on an Evangelism/Teaching Mission trip; 18 people on a Puppet Show/Clown Ministry/Evangelism/Visitation Mission Trip to New York; and several people to West Virginia for clean-up, distributing clothing, supplies, and to rebuild after floods. Labor of Love Ministry continued to give food and clothing to the needy on the first and third Monday of each month. Hired Rebecca Barnes as full time Music Director. Ten children/eight youth participated in Associational and State Bible Drills and brought home winners. Purchased and dedicated a new organ with money that had been given by the Charles E. Hayworth family. Helped support member, Matthew Dunn, and two attenders of our church, Walter and Dot Dills, while they served as volunteer missionaries for 4-5 months in Keniya, Alaska. Hosted the Baptist Men's Medical/Dental Bus at our church in August, with 13 to 14 people seen for medical and dental work. New Pictorial Directory was prepared for church. Operation-In-As-Much one-day blitz was held where members worked in the community-painting, raking, sawing, building, cleaning up, feeding the homeless, and baking cookies for area firemen.

Amity-Church started a new visitation program, directed by John Fulton. First youth singing was held with a group chosen by the young people.

Cedar Lodge-Purchased adjoining property. Bethlehem Tour in 2001. Church had float in the parade in 2001. Established Intercessory Prayer Group. Members went on mission trips to East St. Louis and W. Va.

Churchland-Celebrated 165th Homecoming on September 15, 2002.

Clearview-Parking lot was paved.

Coggins Memorial-Started a Hispanic Mission. Air conditioned the basement of old sanctuary building. Purchased additional property adjacent to current church property.

Colonial-Dedicated new sanctuary on August 4, 2002.

Greenwood-Bought complete set of drums. Renovated Educational Wing of church; also kitchen, bathrooms and fellowship hall.

High Rock-New roof was put on church.

Jersey-Ordained Deacon, Tommy Jolly, in August.

Lakeview-A new handicap ramp was installed at the entrance of the church.

Lexington, First-Part time Youth Minister joined staff on Sunday, July 14, 2002.

Lick Creek-Purchased a church van.

Mills Home-A new digital organ was installed in sanctuary in Spring of 2002. Gardner-Webb Focus Team held revival in Spring, 2002. Melissa Wilson, Western Carolina student, was Summer Youth Worker from June-August, 2002.

New Friendship-Celebrated 175th Anniversary of church. Published pictorial directory. Held Flag Pole dedication, joint service with churches started by New Friendship-Waughtown, Wallburg and Southside.

North Lexington-Began Bible Study for North Davidson Community Church.

Park Place-Presented drama "Heaven's Gates & Hell's Flames." Over 100 decisions were made for Christ.

Rich Fork-In June, 2002, we began construction of 36,000 sq. ft. multi-purpose building.

Smith Grove-Installed sound system and new ceiling in the sanctuary.

Southgate-Began the GROW outreach ministry. The men's ministry is being directed toward personal spiritual growth, discipleship and service. The area near the picnic shelter was fenced in and new playground equipment was purchased.

Southside-Sold parsonage. Replaced carpet and tile in children's department and fellowship hall. Secured a loan of $110,000 to renovate the sanctuary at a coat of $207,000.

Stoner's Grove-Walter Hunter hired as Youth Director/Associate Pastor on January 1, 2002, resigned on August 18, 2002. Dr. Bill Hicks celebrated one year anniversary as pastor on September 1, 2002. Billy Magee was ordained as deacon on September 8, 2002.

Victory-Renovation of church sanctuary-new carpet, pews recovered, floors, new sheetrock overhead, wiring, lighting, and new choir chairs.

Welcome, First-Purchased Rodgers 797 organ ($35,044). Missions involvment: Joy Turner, summer mission work in Phoenix; Tiffany Brown served in Houston through North American Mission Board; Eric Mendenhall, counselor at Caswell Assembly; 29 youth participated in Missionfuge in Charleston SC

Program

CHURCHLAND BAPTIST CHURCH

Lexington, North Carolina

Monday Afternoon, October 7, 2002

2:45 Musical Prelude
3:00 Opening Prayer - Singing of Hymns
3:05 Organization:
1. Constitution of the Body ..... Robert Floyd
2. Welcome and Invocation ..... Steve Martin
3. Adoption of Program ..... Markus Sink
4. Election of Clerk ..... Judy Yarbrough

3:10 Roll Call of Churches
New Pastors and Staff ..... Robert Floyd
3:25 Vacation Bible School Report ..... Tim Landreth
3:30 Treasurer's Report ..... Raleigh York, Jr.
3:40 Resolutions Committee Report ..... Bill Hicks
3:45 Brotherhood/Baptist Men Report ..... William Hanes/John Gore
3:55 Nominating Committee Report ..... Judy Yarbrough
4:00 Hymn
4:05 Miscellaneous Business
Committee on Nominations ..... Lamar Moore
New Mission Church Report
4:10 Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee Report ..... Michael Rinehardt
4:15 Prison Ministry Report ..... Michael Lee
4:25 Baptist Children's Homes of NC ..... Gaylor Huff/Charlotte Beck
4:35 Memorial Service ..... Charles Dickens
4:45 Special Music
4:55 Message ..... Lowell Askins
5:20 Blessing-Adjourn for Evening Meal

Monday Evening, October 7, 2002

6:30 Opening Prayer - Singing of Hymns
6:35 Dedication Service-Leonard and Polly Rollins Mission Center
6:45 Place and Preacher Committee ..... Morris Hollifield
6:50 Discipleship Training Report ..... Stuart White/Mark Blair
6:55 WMU Report ..... Janet Sharpe
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Proceedings

One Hundred Seventieth Annual Session

Liberty Baptist Association

CHURCHLAND BAPTIST CHURCH

Lexington, North Carolina

Monday Afternoon, October 7, 2002

The meeting was opened with prayer by Dr. Robert Floyd. Mr. Joe Craver led the congregation in singing "He Lives" and "Tell Me the Story of Jesus."

Dr. Robert Floyd, Moderator, called the 170th Annual Meeting to order. In the absence of Dr. Steve Martin, pastor, who had to be away for a funeral, Mrs. Sue Hilliard, Deacon Chairperson, welcomed those present and led in prayer. A motion was made by Rev. Markus Sink, chairman of the Meeting Program Committee to adopt the program as printed in the Book of Reports. The motion passed.

Judy Yarbrough, chairperson of the 2001-2002 Nominating Committee, made a motion to elect Gail Beck as Associational Clerk for 2002-2003 and the motion passed. Gail Beck reminded those present that the messengers listed in the Book of Reports are the duly elected messengers for the 2002-2003 year. Any changes must be submitted to the clerk prior to the Winter quarterly meeting, which will be held on January 6, 2003.

Roll call of churches: The pastor and those present from each church were asked to stand. The following new staff members were specifically recognized: Rebecca Barnes, Music Director, Abbotts Creek Baptist Church; Rev. Roy Cantrell, Interim Pastor, Center Hill Baptist Church; Andy Tuttle, Youth Minister, First Baptist, Denton; Lisa M. Martin, Parish Nurse and Alan Sherouse, Youth Minister, First Baptist, Lexington; Rev. Jimmy Uhl, Interim Pastor and Rev. Benn Fleming, Pastor as of October 1, 2002, Liberty Baptist Church; Rev. Chris Noland, Pastor (formerly Youth Minister), Smith Grove Baptist Church; Dr. Bill Hicks, Pastor (formerly Co-Interim), and Rev. Walter V. Hunter, Associate Pastor and Youth Minister (has since resigned) Stoner's Grove Baptist Church; and David Goggin, Music Director, Wallburg Baptist Church. Rev. Lamar Moore was recognized for the special honor of being named Pastor Emeritus by Center Hill Baptist Church.

The **Vacation Bible School** report was presented by Rev. Tim Landreth, Associational VBS Director. A total of 37 churches in Liberty Baptist Association held a Vacation Bible School during the summer of 2002. The total attending was 5,065, with 119 professions of faith. The number of professions is probably more, because we did not have a written report from some of the churches. Rev. Landreth expressed appreciation to all those who served on the VBS team. A motion and second was received to accept the report and the VBS report was approved.

In the absence of the 2001-2002 Associational Treasurer, Raleigh York, Jr., who could not be present due to illness, Jim Lawson presented the **Treasurer's Report** which was approved as printed in the Book of Reports.

Dr. Bill Hicks, chairman, along with committee members Ron Blakley and Doris Lopp, presented the following report, which was approved, from the **Resolutions Committee:**

BE IT RESOLVED this committee, on behalf of the 42 churches, two Hispanic Missions, and one Cambodian Mission of Liberty Baptist Association, whose messengers met in the 170th Annual Session, October 7, 2002, offer the following:

WHEREAS our host church, Churchland Baptist Church, Lexington, has graciously provided their beautiful facilities to insure a caring and friendly atmosphere;

AND WHEREAS the Meeting Program Committee has provided us with the annual theme *"Following God in Changing Times,"* outstanding speakers, and leaders who have been selected for the quarterly meetings and these sessions of the Annual Meeting;

THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that we express our appreciation to our Associational Missionary, Rev. Michael R. Ester, for his excellent leadership and guidance during the year;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that we, the messengers of Liberty Baptist Association express our appreciation to each chairperson and committee member for their labor of love in fulfilling their responsibilities, and in so doing they have helped to further the work of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

Judy Yarbrough, chairperson of the 2002-2003 Nominating Committee, made a motion that the **Nominating Committee** report be accepted as printed, and the motion passed.

Rev. Michael Lee, Chaplain of the Davidson Correctional Center for Men, reported on **Davidson Prison Ministry**. Rev. Lee expressed sincere appreciation for the work of the association in giving supplemental income for the chaplaincy ministry, both from the associational budget and Cooperative Agreement funds from the Baptist State Convention. Laws are presently being enacted which will adversely effect the chaplains in North Carolina. In the future, the income provided for chaplains will have to come from volunteer areas, because these funds are being eliminated from state budgets. During 2001-2002, rather than have several Seminary Extension classes, the men chose to have an in-depth study of the Gospel of Matthew. The Christmas gifts provided for the inmates are especially appreciated because in many instances, these are the only expressions of love and concern that they receive. Rev. Lee stated that he is available to speak in any of the area churches upon request.

Joe Craver led in singing the hymn "He Keeps Me Singing."

Miscellaneous Business: (1) Rev. Lamar Moore, Chairman of the **Committee on Nominations**, presented the following individuals who will serves on the 2002-2003 Nominating Committee: Raleigh York, Jr. (Carolina Memorial), Chairman; Vernelle Greene (Churchland); Dewey Snider (Denton, First); Jeanette Teague (New Friendship); and Dinah Tonsor (Trinity).

(2) Phyllis Davis gave an informational report about the new work, North Davidson Community Church. She said approximately 40 prospects have been discovered through door-to-door visitation. They are presently having Bible Study and will begin meeting in the VFW building shortly.

(3) Rev. Gary Myers, chairman of the Missions Development Committee, reported that a request for membership in Liberty Baptist Association has been received from Antioch Baptist Church. They have submitted all the required documents: written request, church covenant, constitution, and church history; however, according to the bylaws, these must be received three months prior to the annual meeting in order to be considered. Rev. Myers made a motion that this provision in the bylaws be waived so they would not have to wait until the annual meeting of 2003 to be accepted. This motion was seconded and passed. Rev. Myers made a motion that Antioch Baptist Church be accepted under watchcare for a period of one year. This motion also was seconded and passed unanimously. Antioch Baptist Church, the pastor, Rev. Roy Queen, and membership were welcomed into the association.

(4) Jim Lawson, chairman of the Storage Building Committee, gave an informational report on the progress of the building, while pictures were being shown of the building interior and exterior. The building is almost complete and will be ready to house the various items from our ministries within a month. At the close of his report, Rev. Michael Ester, Associational Missionary, presented Jim Lawson with a plaque which read: *"The Churches of the Liberty Baptist Association express their sincere appreciation to Jim Lawson, in recognition of exceptional dedication and service to the completion of the Leonard and Polly Rollins Missions Center."*

The **Place and Preacher Committee Report** was presented by Chairman, Rev. Morris Hollifield: (1) Meeting places for the Year 2003: Winter meeting on January 6, 2003, at Greenwood Baptist Church, Thomasville; Spring meeting on April 7, 2002, at Colonial Baptist Church, Trinity; Summer meeting on July 7, 2003, at Center Hill Baptist Church, Lexington; and Annual meeting on October 6, 2003, at Wallburg Baptist Church, Wallburg. (2) Preachers for the Spring meeting and Annual meeting: Preacher for the Spring meeting will be Dr. Vern Peterson, pastor of First Baptist Church, Denton and the alternate will be Rev. Jack Rose, Associate Pastor of Abbotts Creek Baptist Church. Preacher for the Annual meeting will be Rev. Charles Tanner, pastor of Trinity Baptist Church and the alternate will be Dr. Dan Hutchins, pastor of Reeds Baptist Church. The motion made by committee was approved.

The report from the **Brotherhood/Baptist Men** was presented by Co-Chairman, John Gore. The Brotherhood men have been busy working on the storage building at the associational office, working almost every Friday, and sometimes on Saturday. The Handyman Ministry portion of Brotherhood has built several handicap ramps.

At this point in the program, the order of service was changed so that the **Memorial Service** was conducted by Rev. Charles Dickens, chairman of the Memorials Committee. Names of deceased members for the associational year 2001-2002 were read. As the names from each church were read, church members stood to honor those deceased members of their congregations. Rev. Dickens lead in a prayer of

remembrance for those who have gone to be with the Lord.

The report from **Baptist Children's Homes of NC** was given by Gaylin Huff, Baptist Children's Home staff member, and Charlotte Beck spoke about the "Chain of Prayer" emphasis which is being promoted. All present were urged to write a prayer request on a paper which will then become a part of the prayer chain. The chain which already consists of 6,300+ requests, was displayed by children from the Mills Home Campus. Charlotte Beck closed with prayer.

Special music was presented by Nancy Swicegood who sang *"The Holy City," "Living for Jesus,"* and *"Amazing Grace."*

The afternoon message was presented by Rev. Lowell Askins, pastor of Coggins Memorial Baptist Church, who spoke about the changes that must come about in a Christian's life, as God works to make them into the likeness of Christ. Scripture passage was taken from Isaiah 6:1. Benediction and prayer for the evening was offer by Sue Hilliard.

Monday Evening, October 7, 2002

Moderator Robert Floyd called the meeting to order and recognized Rev. Roy Queen, Pastor of Antioch Baptist Church. Associational Clerk, Gail Beck, reported the number in attendance after the meal was 234. Rev. Michael Collier, offered a prayer, especially for Michael Pinnix, Music Director of New Friendship Baptist Church. Mr. Joe Craver, led the congregation in singing hymns "Oh Jesus I Have Promised" and "God's World Today."

Dedication Service for Leonard and Polly Rollins Mission Center. The following information was given by Rev. Morris Hollifield:

Leonard and Polly Rollins: Supporters of Missions

"My first encounter with Leonard Rollins was in the fall of 1946. I enrolled as a freshman at Mars Hill Junior College, and Leonard was an upper classman. His path in Christian Higher Education, however, had not been routine nor straight-line fashion. He had graduated from Central High School at Spindale in the Spring of 1944 and enrolled at Mars Hill with the dream of becoming a preacher. His studies were later put on hold when it seemed certain the draft was going to change his direction in life and he dropped out of college for a semester. Then circumstances changed again. The fact that he was a ministerial student changed his classification, and the close of the war brought an end to the draft for World War II. Freed from these limitations, Leonard returned to Mars Hill. Finishing his Junior College work at the end of first semester, January 1948, he enrolled at Wake Forest College for the second semester of that year. Because of the staggered semesters, his curriculum was similar to that of a special student. When he completed four years of college, he received his diploma and had accumulated six college annuals. Leonard always believe in getting his money's worth.

During the years while Leonard was in college, the Baptist State Convention worked with the ministerial students by sending out Youth Revival Teams. Because of being a couple of years older than most team members, and demonstrating maturity which set him apart, Leonard was usually the preacher on the team with which he served. During his years in college, Leonard preached in more than 40 youth revivals. While a student at New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, he participated in the required street preaching sessions, and most weekends he shared in Youth Revival trips across the area.

Youth Revivals put Leonard in prominent pulpits across the state of North Carolina. Summer job offers resulted, and as a student, he served for a summer as the Associate Pastor of Viewmont Baptist Church in Hickory, for the Hocutt Memorial Baptist Church in Burlington, and for the First Baptist Church in Lexington. By finishing his college work in January of 1950, he began his ministry in Lexington immediately and served until the fall when he left to enter Seminary n New Orleans.

The Lexington summer was different in that Leonard was given the responsibility for leading and growing a Mission on the South end of town. Mrs. Mary Coggins, a long-time members of First Baptist Church, had willed her large house on South Main Street to her church with the stipulation that a new mission or church be started in the southern part of town. During his summer as Associate Pastor of First Baptist, Leonard took seriously his assignment to develop that group of people into a congregation. In his quiet, unassuming and comfortable way, he visited homes, made contact with business establishments, walked the streets making himself known to the community, invited everyone to their "house" church, and cultivated the families and their neighbors. By the time he left for the Seminary in New Orleans at the end of the summer, the Coggins group had grown to 39 members. Later, the mission was constituted into the

Coggins Memorial Baptist Church. In 1953, when their pastor died, the Coggins Church prevailed upon Leonard to leave New Orleans and return as their pastor. He agreed to do this if they would permit him to finish his last year of Seminary studies by attending Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary in Wake Forest. Leonard and Polly found an efficiency apartment in Wake Forest where they lived Monday through Friday, and he finished in the first graduating class in the Spring of 1954. For ten years, Leonard preached, ministered, visited, and pastored this growing church. The church family was so close knit that younger children found it easy to think of Leonard and Polly as being members of their own families.

In March of 1963, Leonard was chosen to serve as Director of Mission for the Liberty Baptist Association. He served admirably in that position for 30 years, retiring at the end of December of 1992. He then served as Interim Director of Missions for the Association, January 1-August 31, 1993, until another person was called to fill that responsibility. During those 30 years Leonard made ten mission trips overseas. Five of those were to Brazil during the North Carolina Partnership with that country. During those years he hosted a Missions Director from Brazil on a visit to the United States, and they remained fast friends through correspondence. Leonard was the first preacher to enter Togo, West Africa, under arrangements by our North Carolina partnership with Togo. Later he made a second trip to Togo to preach and teach because he felt the need was so great. He went to Jamaica as a preacher during an evangelistic crusade. On two occasions he attended the Baptist World Congress. Both of these trips, one to Tokyo and one to Stockholm, were extended around the world as he visited mission fields, stayed with missionaries he had know since seminary days, and preached at their every invitation while visiting in their homes.

As Director of Missions in the Liberty Baptist Association, it is believe that Leonard hosted five World Mission Conferences. He responded each year to the Mission Board's request to participate as a mission speaker in conferences across the nation. He brought missionaries to our Association each year for special emphases, especially for "M" night, and other significant times in the denominational calendar.

Leonard and Polly were truly partners in the work of missions. She insists that her's was a nurturing role, but we all know that her support and encouragement were a driving force in what Leonard was able to accomplish. As he coordinated the mission efforts of more than 40 churches in the Association, Polly served as part-time secretary in the Associational Missions Office. Each year Leonard prepared and taught the Home Mission Study in as many churches as he could. Polly did the same with the Foreign Mission Study. Together they were able to teach mission in most of our 40 something churches, and they promoted and encouraged mission support in every way possible.

On Tuesday, December 5, 2001, Leonard led a devotional for the annual gathering of Retired Directors of Missions Fellowship at Caraway Conference Center. He evidently suffered a heart attack during that presentation, judging from the perspiration and nausea which occurred. Later that day he entered the Lexington Hospital, and on Wednesday he was transferred to the Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center. His unexpected death on Friday morning, December 7, 2001, brought to a close a lifetime of missions involvement.

Much of the mission work being carried on by our churches today reveals roots and seeds growing out of the work by the Rollins couple over a lifetime of missions service. We are indeed grateful for their labors across the years, and for the investment which they made in the Liberty Baptist Association."

Rev. Mike Ester, Associational Missionary, asked Polly Rollins to join him on the platform. Rev. Ester presented her a copy of the brass plaque to be mounted on the new building. It read as follows:

Leonard and Polly Rollins Mission Center
Dedicated to the Glory of God on October 7, 2002
For Faithful Years of Service Given by
Rev. Leonard Rollins and Polly Rollins
to Liberty Baptist Association

Following a standing ovation, Polly Rollins expressed her appreciation for the privilege of being able to serve with Leonard among the churches and people of Liberty Baptist Association.

Michael Rinehardt, chairman, presented the **Volunteer Missions and Partnership Committee Report** using pictures which were taken during various mission trips and mission projects. 1,435 people were on the mission field, serving in Alaska, New York, West Virginia, Honduras, East St. Louis, Kentucky, Tennessee and Georgia. Volunteers also worked with the Medical Dental Bus. Our association has been

challenged to go to Honduras to build a church, for approximately $7,000. More information will be sent to the churches concerning this as soon as it is available. April, 2003 will be designated as Operation In-As-Much in Liberty Baptist Association. This report was approved as presented.

The **Discipleship Training Report** was presented by Rev. Mark Blair. The Winter Bible Study, in January 2003, is a part of Discipleship Training, and this year the topic will be I Corinthians. Other areas of study may be Experiencing God, the Beth Moore study programs, weight loss program combined with spiritual growth such as "First Place," marriage study program, new member orientation, and children's programs. All of these come under the category of Discipleship Training. Rev. Stuart White and Rev. Blair are both available to assist any church. The Bible Drills are very successful with six churches participating during this associational year. The report was approved as printed in the Book of Reports.

Janet Sharpe, Associational WMU Director, along with Dot Nester, presented the **Woman's Missionary Union Report.** They encouraged everyone to become involved with the Toy Store Ministry and the Prison Gift Ministry. The report was approved.

Mr. Wayne Wike, reported on behalf of the **Council on Christian Higher Education** and provided information about all of the Baptist colleges and universities in North Carolina. 685 individuals, representing some 500 churches across the state and 73 associations, are currently receiving scholarship funds made possible by donations to the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina. Nine of the recipients are from Liberty Baptist Association.

The **North Carolina Baptist Hospitals** report was presented by Mr. Paul Mullen, Director of Church and Community Relations. He expressed his appreciation to the churches for the gifts through the Mother's Day Offering. These gifts provide benevolent care to those who are unable to meet their financial obligations resulting from medical care. A portion of the money received from the Cooperative Program goes to the School of Pastoral Care where 55 ministers were trained last year. The Center for Congregational Health and the CareNet Counseling program are supported by North Carolina Baptists. These are life changing ministries and all of the contributions are sincerely appreciated by the people at the Baptist Hospital.

***"On Mission Celebration"* Report.** Rev. Michael Collier encouraged all church members to hear the missionaries who will be speaking from October 27-30, 2002. This effort actually began about four years ago when our Mission Statement was adopted. We had the simultaneous revivals in 2001 and this year we have the "On Mission Celebration." The report was adopted.

Rev. Mike Ester introduced the evening speaker, Dr. Gene Mims, President of Lifeway Church Resources, followed by special music by Joe Craver, who sang "Keep Me True, Lord Jesus" and "Saved!"

Dr. Mims based his message on the associational theme, "Following God in Changing Times." Scripture text was Genesis 12, concerning Abraham and the seven promises made to him. The 2002-2003 Officers were installed by Rev. Mike Ester: Rev. Mike Collier (Jersey) Moderator; Rev. Gary Myers (Oak Hill Memorial), Vice Moderator; Mrs. Gail S. Beck (Oak Hill Memorial), Clerk; and Rev. David Shaffer (Coggins Memorial), Treasurer. A recognition plaque was presented to Dr. Robert Floyd, which read: *"The Churches of Liberty Baptist Association express their sincere appreciation to Dr. Robert Floyd, in recognition of his faithful, effective service as Moderator for the years 2000-2002."*

Dr. Robert Floyd expressed his appreciation. Rev. Charles Tanner offered a prayer of benediction. Their being no further business, the moderator declared the 170th annual meeting adjourned.

SUMMER QUARTERLY MEETING

Monday Evening - July 8, 2002

CEDAR LODGE BAPTIST CHURCH, THOMASVILLE NC

Vice Moderator Michael Collier called the Summer meeting of Liberty Baptist Association to order. A special prayer request was made for Mr. T. L. Lee, Director of the Seamen's Ministry at Morehead City. Mr. Lee was scheduled to be on the program, but his wife called and said he is in the hospital. Rev. Collier introduced Dr. Russell Brownworth, pastor of Cedar Lodge Baptist Church. He welcomed those present and led in prayer. Rev. Markus Sink, Chairman of the Meeting Program Committee, made a motion that the printed program, reflecting the theme of "Churches-Changing Our Communities!" for the summer meeting, be adopted as printed. The motion passed.

Rev. Stan Lovell, Associational Music Director, led in the singing of "I Love To Tell the Story,"followed by special music by the praise and worship team of Cedar Lodge Baptist Church.

The Vice Moderator recognized Rev. Roy Cantrell as the Interim Pastor of Center Hill Baptist Church. This was the only new position for staff or pastors since the spring meeting of the association.

In the absence of Raleigh York, Jr., Associational Treasurer, the report was presented by Jim Lawson, Chairman of the Finance Committee. Due a computer problem, the treasurer's report was printed separately and was approved as printed.

A motion was made by Jim Lawson, Chairman of the Finance Committee, to approved the proposed Mission Ministry Budget for 2002-2003. The dates on page two of the proposed budget were to be amended to reflect the current year as 2001-2002 and the new year as 2002-2003. Following this correction, there were no questions and the 2002-2003 Budget was approved as requested.

Miscellaneous Business: (1) The Vice Moderator announced the names of those chosen by the officers of Liberty Baptist Association to serve on the Committee On Nominations. They are: Rev. Lamar Moore, Chairman (Center Hill); Rev. Roy Cantrell (Center Hill); Rev. Morris Hollifield (Wallburg). This committee will select five individuals who will compose the Nominating Committee for 2002-2003, and the announcement will be made at the Annual Meeting on October 7, 2002.

(2) Storage Building Report-Jim Lawson, Chairman of the committee, reported that the building is progressing well. It is under roof, walls are up and the windows and doors are installed. Mr. Lawson requested that anyone who is willing to work contact the associational office. The vinyl siding is ready to be installed, plumbing, heating, drywall, and painting will be done in the next few weeks. Fridays and Saturday mornings have been designated as work days. As of this date, the total expenditures amount to $26,902. At the Spring quarterly meeting of the association, messengers approved an amount of $15,000 from the general fund for the completion of the building. Of this $15,000, only $3,690 has been spent. The remaining amount should be sufficient to complete the building for a cost of approximately one half the amount of a contract price.

(3) Discipleship Training-Rev. Stuart White announced that a Discipleship/Bible Drills meeting will be held on Monday, September 16th at Jersey Baptist Church. More information will be sent concerning this meeting. There were 38 children and youth to participate in the last Bible Drills. Rev. White encouraged those churches who have not been involved in this area of ministry to attend the Bible Drills meeting.

(4) On Mission Celebration-Rev. Mike Collier announced that plans are progressing for the On Mission Celebration scheduled for October 27-30, 2002. There are 24 churches participating and for those churches not involved, we hope their members will attend services at a church near them. Information will be sent to the churches soon about those missionary speakers who will be coming to share their experiences.

Nominating Committee Report-Chairperson Judy Yarbrough made the following additions to the printed report: On the Finance Committee, the name of David Shaffer (Coggins Memorial) should be added as Treasurer. On the Sunday School Committee, the name of Sherri Harris (Colonial) should be added for Younger Children. This report is submitted for information only and will be voted upon at the annual meeting in October. The term of office will be one year beginning at the adjournment of the annual meeting.

Associational Missionary Report-Rev. Mike Ester showed slides representing several of the mission efforts in our association. In West Virginia, many of our churches have sent mission teams to assist in the flood stricken areas. Our brotherhood members have helped with cleanup efforts and have been able to use a recently purchased trash pump the clean mud from many of the homes. The Grifton area of North Carolina is still in need of assistance. There are at least 20 homes which still need repairs. Those who work in the Handyman Ministry have constructed handicap ramps for several homes. Pictures were also shown of the work on the storage building located behind the associational office. Rev. Ester asked for those present to indicate by church where they have had or may have mission teams serving. Areas of service were West Virginia; New York; Dalton, Georgia; East St. Louis, Illinois; Alaska; Pikeville, Kentucky; Honduras; Mexico; Thailand; Bryson City, Tennessee; Myrtle Beach, South Carolina; and Asia. Our churches are mission-minded in their efforts to reach out to other areas of service.

Dr. Russell Brownworth introduced the speaker, Dr. George Thomasson. Dr. Thomasson was formerly with the Florida Baptist Convention as Director of the Church Planting Department. He is now with the North American Mission Board in the area of Anglo Church Planting.

The choir of Cedar Lodge Baptist Church presented a program of special music, followed by a solo

by Judy Gardner, Music Director of Cedar Lodge, who sang "I Pledge Allegiance to the Lamb." Stan Lovel concluded the special music with a solo, "My House Is Full, But My Fields Are Empty."

The scripture text chosen for the message by Dr. Thomasson was taken from Acts 11 and was titled Portrait of a Mission-Minded Church. A mission-minded church is a solid church, which is people-focused, Christ-centered, spirit-empowered, grace conscious, and financially generous. This church should also be a sending church and a supporting church. Dr. Thomasson commended the churches of Liberty Baptist Association for the many mission efforts and encouraged people to be involved in reaching out through missions.

There being no further business, the spring meeting was adjourned with a benediction by the Associational Missionary, Rev. Michael Ester.

SPRING QUARTERLY MEETING

Monday Afternoon, April 8, 2002

NEW FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH, WINSTON-SALEM NC

Moderator Robert Floyd called the spring quarterly meeting of Liberty Baptist Association to order, and introduced Rev. Chris Byrne, Pastor of New Friendship Baptist Church. Rev. Byrne stated that New Friendship is celebrating their 175th year of ministry in the community. This history is precious to the members and families who worship at New Friendship, and they are thankful for the rich history with Liberty Baptist Association. Rev. Byrne welcomed those present and led in prayer. Markus Sink, Chairman of the Associational Program Committee, made a motion that the printed program, reflecting the theme of "Christians-Changing the World!" for the spring meeting, be adopted as printed. The motion passed.

The moderator recognized the following new Pastors and Staff Members in the association: Abbotts Creek Baptist Church-Rebecca Barnes, Music Director; First Baptist Church, Denton-Andy Tuttle, Youth Minister; Lakeview Baptist Church-Rev. Tim Flint, Pastor; Smith Grove Baptist Church-Rev. Chris Noland, Pastor; Wallburg Baptist Church-David Goggin, Music Director. The **Treasurer's Report** was presented by Jimmy Lawson, Chairman of the Finance Committee. He made a motion that the reports be accepted as printed. The motion passed unanimously.

Miscellaneous Business: (1) Rev. Roy Cantrell said that for the past few years a support group has met for breakfast. The original members who met were Rev. John Pace, Rev. Morris Hollifield, and Rev. Lamar Moore. Later Rev. Cantrell joined the group, then Rev. Michael Collier and Rev. Bill Morrow also began to meet with them. Rev. Leonard Rollins was a part of this support team. Those who met together wanted to do something in memory of Leonard, and have chosen to present two pictures, by Bob Timberlake, to be hung in the associational office. Mr. Timberlake signed both pictures "In Memory of Rev. Leonard Rollins." The two pictures were displayed and Rev. Mike Ester, Associational Missionary, expressed appreciation to the members of the support group and their donation.

(2) Mike Ester announced that a person from each church represented should pick up a packet which includes a brochure telling about associational work and an offering envelope for making donations for the storage building located at the rear of the office. Associational Emphasis Week is May 19-26, 2002, and we would like for the churches to include this information in the bulletins.

(3) Moderator Bob Floyd asked that those on the Executive Committee stand, and there was not a quorum present to conduct business. Gail Beck read the definition of those serving on the Executive Board. The Executive Board membership shall consist of the following: (1) Officers duly elected by the Association, to-wit: Moderator, Vice Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer. (2) Standing Committee Chairpersons, Special Standing Committee Chairpersons, and Representatives, Director and Team Leaders as named in Article XI A and XI B. Again, members of the Executive Board were asked to stand and a quorum of 18 people were present. Gail Beck said that the Executive Board has been asked to meet prior to the quarterly meetings, so that yet another meeting would not be added to an already busy schedule. Moderator Bob Floyd asked that those Executive Board members meet for a few minutes prior to the evening meal.

(4) David White, member of the team going to Honduras, made a motion that a love offering be taken to assist those who needed financial assistance for the trip. The motion was seconded and passed. The offering will be taken in the evening session.

Rev. Michael Collier, chairman of the **Evangelism Committee** and the ***"On Mission Celebration"* Committee**, announced that 24 of the 42 churches have agreed to participate. Six state, ten North American, and ten International missionaries will be speaking at five services in each participating church. The cost for each church will be $300 which will help to cover all expenses of the visiting missionaries. The report from this committee was approved as printed.

Stan Lovell, Associational Music Director, led in singing "The Church's One Foundation," "Serve the Lord with Gladness," and "Our Best."

Mr. John Gore, Co-Chairman, of the **Brotherhood/Baptist Men's Leadership Team** presented the report, which was approved. William Hanes and David White presented an entertaining skit about the work of the Handyman Ministry. Pictures were shown of the most recent handicap ramp which was built for a lady in Davidson County.

Janet Sharpe and Betty Bradshaw performed a skit about the work of the **Woman's Missionary Union**, emphasizing the Annual WMU Meeting and Salad Supper, planned for April 22nd, at Reeds Baptist Church. Members are asked to bring the recipes for the salads and a recipe will be published later. An offering will be taken for the Christian Activity Center and paper products will be collected and taken when a mission team goes during the summer. During Associational Emphasis Week, May 19-26, the WMU will sponsor a reception to honor the Associational Missionary, Office Manager, and the Associational Officers. This will be held at the Associational Office on May 19th, 3:00 to 4:30 p.m. The WMU report was approved as printed.

The Associational VBS Director, Rev. Tim Landreth, presented the **Vacation Bible School** report, which was approved. The theme for 2002 is "Amazon Outfitters." Rev. Landreth led in singing the theme song, and encouraged people to pray for VBS and the leaders. The Associational VBS Training Clinic will be April 29th, 7:00 p.m., at Carolina Memorial Baptist Church. VBS Directors, pastors, and volunteers are encouraged to come.

Special Music was presented by Carla Arrowood, Keena Arrowood, Lisa Crabb, Vickki Cook, and Julie Hart, members of "Circle of Friends," a ladies' singing group from New Friendship. They performed several inspirational songs. Dr. Randy Stewart, pastor of Mills Home Baptist Church, gave the afternoon message. Dr. Stewart said the average age of his congregation is about thirteen years of age, and speaking before an associational meeting is quite different. One of the pictures at the front of Mills Home church depicts Jesus with the children, and Dr. Stewart said this is the image he keeps before him...sharing the Good News of Jesus with children. Scripture was taken from Matthew 18 and 19 about Christ's instruction about having the simple faith of a child. Dr. Stewart sang children's songs and played guitar, asking that we return to the simple faith of a child.

The afternoon session was adjourned and benediction for the evening meal was given by the Associational Missionary, Rev. Michael Ester.

Monday Evening - April 8, 2002

Moderator Bob Floyd expressed appreciation to those who prepared the meal. Stan Lovell led in prayer and in singing of hymns "Since I Have Been Redeemed," "Since Jesus Came Into My Heart," and "It Is Well With My Soul." Bob Floyd announced that there were 196 messengers and visitors registered for the meeting.

Miscellaneous Business: (1) Michael Collier made an announcement about Minister's Conference which is usually held at 10:30 a.m., on the fourth Monday of each month at the associational office. The Minister's Conference will be moved to Wednesdays in the hope that more pastors and staff members will be able to attend.

(2) Jimmy Lawson, Chairman of the **Finance Committee**, presented the following recommendations which were discussed in the regular business meeting of the Finance Committee on March 4, 2002.

(a) The doors at the associational office are in desperate need of being replaced. Recommendation is made to replace the wooden doors, both front and back, with glass vandal-proof doors, replacing the framing as needed for a complete installation. This will enhance the appearance of the office. The funds will come from line item 5520-Building Maintenance. Total Cost: $1,975.00. This recommendation was presented from the Finance Committee in the form of a motion and was approved.

(b) The Associational Missionary made a suggestion to discontinue the services of the alarm

system (provided by Protection Systems, Inc.), after the installation of the new doors. This would save $300 per year, which could be applied to the cost of installing the new doors. This recommendation was presented from the Finance Committee in the form of a motion and was approved.

(c) The Associational office is in need of another computer system which would be used by temporary help. This would give assistance to the secretary in preparing mailings, labels, reports, etc. We have an offer of a complete system that could be networked with our present computer system. This is a Pentium II computer, including a monitor, and color printer. The funds would come from line item 5531-Office Equipment. Total Cost: $450.00. This recommendation was presented from the Finance Committee in the form of a motion and was approved.

(d) Eight people have volunteered to participate in an Association sponsored trip to Honduras. The purpose is for a building project on the mission field. The volunteers are paying their own way; however, funds are needed for building supplies and materials to enable the volunteers to complete their project. The funds would come from line item 5610-Miscellaneous. Total Cost: $1,500.00. This recommendation was presented from the Finance Committee in the form of a motion and was approved.

(e) The construction of the storage building is proceeding at the Associational office site. The land has been cleared, the footings dug, foundation installed, plumbing underground rough installed, electrical underground rough installed, concrete slab nearing completion, and it is almost ready for framing. The funds remaining in the building fund account (Designated Fund #36) will be approximately $3,000.00. The framing package with windows, doors, trusses, siding, roofing, etc. will cost approximately $15,000.00. This amount will allow the building to be completed less interior finishes (plumbing fixtures, lighting fixtures, shelving, heat pump, air conditioning, etc.) The funds for interior completion will need to come from the General Fund (checking account), but will not all be required at one time. Approximately $8,000 was added to the original estimate of the building for the raised foundation that the association requested over the monolithic pour originally planned. The Storage Building was permitted for a cost of $79,500.00. The good news is: Upon completion, our building should cost less than half of the permitted amount. Request is made for $15,000.00 (General Fund Checking Account) to order the lumber package to complete the exterior of the Storage Building. This recommendation was presented from the Finance Committee in the form of a motion and was approved. The following is an accounting of the expenses of the Storage Building:

09-01-2001 Beginning Balance ..... $ 16,053.92

Date:	Payee	Purpose	Amount
10-25-01	Dav. Co. Environmental Health	Septic Tank Perk Test	- 60.00
10-31-01	CPT Engineering & Surveying	Survey of LBA Property	- 1,368.00
01-07-02	Jimmy Lawson	Misc. Expenses	- 500.00
01-15-02	NC State Missions Offering		+ 4,659.88
01-17-02	Dav. Co. Inspections		- 300.00
02-14-02	John Anderson	Bobcat & Backhoe Rental	- 550.00
03-19-02	McGee Brothers Co., Inc.	Footings for Building	- 2,236.00
Leonard Rollins Mem. Donations			+ 1,645.00
			$17,344.80

(3) In the absence of Chairman Gary Myers, Mike Ester presented the following recommendations, which were discussed in the regular meeting of the **Missions Development Committee** on April 4, 2002:

(a) A new Hispanic Mission, sponsored by Coggins Memorial Baptist Church and First Baptist Church of Lexington, officially began meeting on February 3, 2002. They meet at Coggins Memorial each Sunday at 9:30 a.m. for Sunday School and at 11:00 a.m. for Worship Service. They also meet at 1:00 p.m. on Saturdays. The Lay Leader for this congregation is J. J. Rodriquez. They will be asked to develop a covenant agreement, agree on terms of contributions, both to the association and the Baptist State Convention of NC, with the ultimate goal to become a member church of Liberty Baptist Association. The Missions Development

Committee recommends this Hispanic Mission be taken under watchcare by Liberty Baptist Association. This recommendation was presented from the Missions Development Committee in the form of a motion and was approved.

(b) After discussion by the Missions Development Committee, it was recommended that the new storage building behind the Associational Office be named in honor of Leonard and Polly Rollins and the following plaque be attached to the building: **The Leonard and Polly Rollins Missions Center.** This recommendation was presented from the Missions Development Committee in the form of a motion and was approved.

(4) The **Nominating Committee** made a motion to accept the following replacements, changes, and additions for the remainder of the 2002-2002 Associational year:

Brotherhood/Baptist Men Leadership Team

David White (Reeds), Handyman Ministries ..... 1399 N. Koontz Rd. Lexington 27295; 336/787-3185

Note: This replacement is due to the death of Carl Hunt.

Ordination Examining Committee

Mark Blair (Welcome, First), Chairman ..... 199 Hawkesbury Rd. Clemmons 27012; (H) 336/775-5527; (O) 336/731-8434

Note: This replacement is due to the death of Leonard Rollins

Pastoral Ministries Committee

Vern Peterson (Denton, First), Chairman ..... 53 Hulin St. Denton 27239; (H) 336/859-3280; (O) 336/859-3531

Note: This replacement is due to Max Evington moving to a church outside our association.

Scholarship Committee

According to the guidelines of the Randall M. and Callie Sue Leonard Michael Scholarship, the committee has chosen to add the following individuals to the Scholarship Committee:

Julie Russell (Carolina Memorial) ..... 1068 Wall St., Thomasville 27360-7947; 336/475-6684

Susan Scarboro (Park Place) ..... 640 Saddletree Rd. Thomasville 27360; 336/472-4150

Michael R. Ester, Associational Missionary, will not be ex-officio, but serve as a voting member of the committee.

Gail S. Beck, has been chosen by the North Carolina Baptist Foundation, to represent them and to serve as an ex-officio member of the committee.

Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee

James Williams (Abbotts Creek) ..... 200 Winsom Rd. Kernersville 27284; 336/869-6586

Note: Mr. Williams volunteered to fill the vacancy on this committee when Carl Hunt died.

The motion from the Nominating Committee was approved as presented.

Young people from First Baptist Church, Welcome participated in a Bible Drill demonstration as a portion of the **Discipleship Training** report. Rev. Mark Blair, Discipleship Supporter, gave the scripture calls. The printed report was approved.

Michael Ester, Betsy Leach, Betty Bradshaw, Jamie Williams and Michael Rinehardt presented a short skit from the **Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee** emphasizing the mission goals of the association. Trips are planned to Honduras, Alaska, East St. Louis. Volunteers are still being encouraged to work in eastern North Carolina. The real mission is to share God's love and message whenever and wherever we are able. At the February meeting, this committee began making plans for 2003. Trinidad is being considered for the foreign mission project. Operation-In-As-Much, Christian Activity Center in East St. Louis, and the construction of the Associational storage building will be the home mission projects.

Pastor Chris Byrne asked that a correction be made to the history as printed in the program booklet. The written history states that over 3% of the yearly budget is used for missions. This figure should be over 30%, and the church is very proud of this record. The young people of New Friendship participated in a skit about the History of New Friendship Baptist Church.

An offering was taken to assist those who are planning to go to Honduras. David White, a member

of the mission team, requested that those present give $5.00 if possible and explained that all proceeds will go to cover expenses. A prayer was offered for the offering.

The choir of New Friendship Baptist Church, under the direction of Michael Pinnix, Music Director, presented a program of special music.

Moderator Robert Floyd introduced the speaker, Dr. Bill Morgan. He is Strategist and Director of Global Priority Churches in the Office of Mobilization for the International Mission Board. A network called Global Priority Churches was started four years ago. This is a challenge to churches to personalize and prioritize missions. There are 918 churches now participating in this network, including 73 in North Carolina. As Southern Baptists, there are approximately 5,100 missionaries all over the world, several hundred of these come from North Carolina. Dr. Morgan stated that each part of the program, from the theme of "Christians-Changing the World" to the mission statement of the association, has emphasized missions. Southern Baptist are missionary people, always have been and always will be. At the same time Southern Baptists came into being, two mission boards also were established-the Foreign Mission Board, now the International Mission Board; and the Domestic Mission Board, which is now known as the North American Mission Board. The Bible is a Missionary Book, from Genesis to maps. You can't believe in the Bible and not believe in missions. Scripture was taken was Acts 1:8.

At the conclusion of the message, the closing prayer was offered by Amy Jenkins, Campus Ministry Coordinator at Davidson County Community College. Moderator Robert Floyd declared the Spring quarterly meeting adjourned.

WINTER QUARTERLY MEETING

Monday Evening - January 14, 2002

REEDS BAPTIST CHURCH, LEXINGTON NC

Moderator Robert Floyd called the winter quarterly meeting of Liberty Baptist Association to order, and introduced Dr. Dan Hutchins, Pastor of Reeds Baptist Church. Dr. Hutchins welcomed those present and led in prayer. Markus Sink, Chairman of the Associational Program Committee, stated that the Associational Program Committee chose an annual theme of *"Following God In Changing Times!"* Each meeting will have a different emphasis. The emphasis for the Spring Quarterly Meeting is *"Youth-Changing Tomorrow!"* Rev. Sink made a motion that the printed program be adopted. The motion passed.

Miscellaneous Business: (1) Donna Evans, Chairman of the Ethnic Ministries Committee, announced that the Medical/Dental Bus will be at Coggins Memorial Baptist Church on March 9, 2002. Volunteers that are bi-linqual are needed.

(2) Gary Myers, Chairman of the Missions Development Committee, made a motion to approve requests for Cooperative Agreements from the Baptist State Convention of NC. The motion passed. Motion was made to purchase 400 copies of book, *"The Man in the Mirror"* at a cost of $1.00 each. These will be given away at the Thresher's Reunion by those who give out a cup of cold water. Not only will we minister by giving a cool drink, but also by using this evangelism tool. The motion passed.

(3) Jimmy Lawson, Chairman of the Finance Committee made a motion that the funds received from the NC Missions Offering be used for the construction of the storage building. These funds are received in March or April and the amount will be between five and eight thousand dollars. The motion passed unanimously. Motion was also made by the Finance Committee that donations received for the Leonard Rollins Memorial Fund be transferred to the storage building fund. Everything contained in this building will be related to mission: toys for the toy store ministry, prison gift ministry, used literature, and the disaster recovery vehicle. The amount presently in this fund is $640. This motion passed.

(4) Jimmy Lawson, Chairman of the Storage Building Committee, reported that the plans have been completed and he expressed appreciation to Mr. Dallas Collins for his expertise in assisting with the building plans. The building permits for construction have been issued. Work has begun to clear the land. The trees to be removed are marked and if anyone would like to have the wood, the trees must be removed within then next three weeks. The Storage Building Committee made a motion that the storage building, located at the rear of the associational office, be dedicated to the memory of Leonard Rollins, with a memorial placed on the property in his honor. This motion passed unanimously. Pictures were shown of the proposed building.

(5) Michael Collier, Chairman of the Evangelism and "On Mission Celebration" Committees, said that a plan was put in place by the association three years ago. In October of 2001, simultaneous revivals

were held, which were successful. The completion of our plan will be in October, 2002, with the "On Mission Celebration" where we will have missionaries speaking in each of the participating churches. These will come from the state, North American Mission Board, and International Mission Board. A meeting is planned for March 18, 2002, and the pastor and one other member will be asked to attend and receive more information. Announcements for the time and place of the meeting will be sent out by the first of March.

The **Treasurer's Report** was presented by Raleigh York, Jr., Associational Treasurer. Correction should be made to the report changing it to read 2001-2002 Budget. Motion was made to accept the report with the changes indicated. The motion passed.

Associational Music Director, Stan Lovell, led in singing "Family of God," "Give Thanks," "Lord, I Lift Your Name On High," "I've Got Peace Like A River," "Sweet, Sweet Spirit," "Surely the Presence of the Lord is in This Place," and "I'll Tell the World that I'm a Christian."

Amy Jenkins, Campus Ministries Coordinator at Davidson County Community College, reported that a group is meeting on a regular basis and have adopted the name Alpha and Omega. They meet for Bible Study and support.

The moderator recognized the following new Pastors and Staff Members in the association: First Baptist Church, Lexington-Lisa M. Martin, Parish Nurse; Liberty Baptist Church-Jimmy Uhl, Interim Pastor; Stoner's Grove Baptist Church-Bill Hicks, Pastor and Walter V. Hunter, Associate Pastor and Youth Minister; Summerville Baptist Church-Todd Varner, Youth Minister.

The youth of Reeds Baptist Church presented skits and a song "I Will Follow Him" was performed by the puppet team. Staff, youth workers, volunteers and the young people from all the churches were asked to stand. Appreciation was shown by applause.

A Praise and Worship Service was led by Stan Lovell, Associational Music Director. The choir of Reeds Baptist Church sang "Shout to the Lord." The song service concluded with the Stan Lovell singing "How Great Thou Art."

Jo Ann Roumillat, Financial Secretary at First Baptist Church, High Point, introduced the speaker, Steve Zimmerman, Minister of Education for First Baptist, High Point. Rev. Zimmerman used text from Luke 2:-49-52 and from I Tim. 4:12-16 to emphasis the theme "Youth-Changing Tomorrow."

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned with prayer by Associational Missionary, Michael R. Ester.

HISTORY OF HOST CHURCHES

CHURCHLAND BAPTIST CHURCH

We begin this segment of our history with the incorporation of our church on May 7, 1995. As a summer mission project that year, the Acteens helped a nearby family with the care of their children. The Baptist Women formed a morning circle for those ladies who could not participate at night and it has been well attended.

The first annual meeting of the church corporation was held on August 6, 1995. The officers elected were chairperson, Bobby Young; vice chairperson, Greg Greene; Clerk, Karen Allen; treasurer, Gloria McBride; and moderator, Hugh Shepherd.

In 1996, the church called Carol Hooker, a student at High Point University, as Youth Minister. A few months later, she discovered she had terminal cancer. Our youth visited her on many occasions during her hospitalization, and she was a great inspiration to them during her last days.

April 6, 1997, was a historic day in the life of Churchland Baptist Church. After much prayer, discussion, and study, the church voted to hire the services of Church Building Systems, Inc. for the initial phase of a building program for a new Sunday School classroom and office annex. In December 1997, the church voted to purchase the Caleb Sharpe home place adjoining the present property for future growth of the church.

In June 1998, Acteens Angel Black and Lisa Mills, along with their leader, Fairye Mills, attended the National Acteens Convention held in Alabama. They reported to the church, with great enthusiasm, what they had learned.

Missions have always been and will continue to play a great part in the life of Churchland Baptist Church. Jean Young was sponsored on her trips to Equador with Operation Smile. The Baptist Women

made hospital gowns that were sent in advance to Equador to be used when Jean arrived. Hugh Greene was sponsored on a mission trip to Haiti for two weeks. He has also served in Missouri, Georgia, South Carolina, West Virginia, and in eastern North Carolina during flood disasters. Keith Garner was also sponsored on a mission trip to Kosovo.

During Mission Emphasis Week, Cooperative Baptist Fellowship missionary, Kevin Rutledge, was guest speaker on November 15, 1998, followed by a catered lunch.

Our Baptist Men have responded to many calls for wheelchair ramps; then, when the ramp was no longer needed, it was dismantled for future use. They have also helped replace roofs on homes of people who were unable to do so themselves.

Early in 1999, the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship requested baby clothes for refugees in Albania and Macedonia. Our church responded well beyond the call, and paid for shipment of the clothes to those countries.

Dedication of the new Sunday School and office annex was held in September 2001, with Rev. R. N. Hardin assisting Pastor Martin and the building committee.

As we near the end of 2002, we look forward to growth in every area of our church program.

Respectfully submitted,
Vernelle Greene, Historian
Liberty Baptist Association

CEDAR LODGE BAPTIST CHURCH, THOMASVILLE

In May, 1964, a group of Christians, under the leadership of Rev. Fred Jurney, met in the Fair Grove Lion's Club Building for the purpose of starting a new Baptist church in the Cedar Lodge community. The first recorded business meeting was July 12, 1964. There were 57 charter members. A building site was purchased on the corner of Old 109 South and Cedar Drive. On May 2, 1965, a ground-breaking service was held. The building consisted of a sanctuary, with a seating capacity of 275, and nine basement classrooms, at a cost of $45,000. The church building was completed and occupied on September 12, 1965. On June 2, 1965, the members voted to become a member of Liberty Baptist Association. In February 1966, a WMU was established, and on June 5, the first Vacation Bible School was held.

Rev. Fred Jurney served as pastor from May 1964 until his death in April, 1971. Rev. D. W. Digh served as interim pastor from April 1971 until February 1972. At that time, Rev. B. V. Broadway came to Cedar Lodge and served until his retirement in June, 1985. During his pastorate, a Fellowship Hall was built in 1975 at a cost of approximately $37,000.

Following Rev. Broadway's death, Rev. George Williamson served as interim pastor, along with several guest ministers, during the time of the search for a new pastor. Rev. Steve Jarvis served as pastor from November, 1985 until May, 1994. During that time, the parking lot was paved, a new sign was erected on the property, the pews were padded, new windows and carpet were installed, and the choir chairs were updated. In 1990, a church van was purchased and in 1991 a new educational wing was added at a cost of $275,000.

Rev. Vernon Williams served as interim pastor from May, 1994 until Rev. Dan Tilley became pastor in December, 1994. He served until June 1998, followed by Rev. Roy Cantrell, who served as interim until Dr. Russell Brownworth began his ministry as pastor in April, 2000.

Thank you Brenda Emmons for your help in compiling this history.

Respectfully submitted,
Vernelle S. Greene, Historian
Liberty Baptist Association

NEW FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH HISTORY

"PRIDE IN OUR PAST" 1827-2002 "FAITH IN OUR FUTURE"

The New Friendship Baptist Church was organized January 27, 1827. After preaching a few years in the "Charles School House," Elder William Dowd organized this church and served as its first pastor. Elder Dowd was a missionary from Friendship Baptist Church in Moore County. He was a state Baptist leader, serving as vice president of the Baptist State Convention in 1830.

New Friendship has had 24 pastors, namely: William Dowd, Tattheus D. Freeman, Peter Owen, William Turner, F. H. Jones, Henry Sheets, G. W. Reid, Thomas Carrick, O. A. Keller, A. L. McLenden, V.

M. Swaim, John R. Miller, V. H. Harrell, B. K. Mason, E. F. Baker, Luther James Matthews (who became the first full-time pastor, April 6, 1941), A. C. Lovelace, W. N. Brookshire, Robert C. Foster, Lee Roy Hall, James H. Pernell, Warren E. Kerr, Charles C. Penley, and Chris Byrne.

Six men have been set aside from New Friendship to preach the Gospel, namely: R. Jeffrey Charles, Lewis Banner (black), G. Wisemen Harmon, Samuel B. Wilson, Randall Spiva, and Chris Byrne, who is now serving as our pastor.

Our church has had three houses of worship. The first was built in 1838. The second one was erected in 1890, with the bricks made and burned on the church grounds. The cost of the building was approximately $2,000.00. This building was dedicated to William Turner, who served as pastor for more than 40 years. The third sanctuary was built in 1964 at a cost of $135,000.00. Since that time, in the 1980's, beautiful stained glass windows and covers were added, and the carpet was replaced in 2001.

In 1928, an educational building was built adjoining the back of the sanctuary. A few years later a basement was dug by the young men of the church. In 1953, a more modern educational building was built at a cost of $51,000.00.

A pastorium was built in 1937. It was sold in the 1980's for around $76,000.00. We have purchased several acres of land adjoining the church property and have bought an apartment house used for rental property. In the 1980's, a house was purchased for about $98,000.00 and approximately $35,000.00 was spent for remodeling. It is now being used as the parsonage.

The most recent addition is our beautiful fellowship hall which was dedicated on December 18, 1994. The cost of this addition was $550,000.00. New Friendship Baptist Church is now debt free.

These costs show us how the economy has changed in our 175 years of history. It also helps to put the history of the church into perspective when we think that the first worshipers came to New Friendship on foot, horseback, or in wagons. It was 70 years before Henry Ford invented his first car and 80 years before the Wright Brothers flew their first airplane. New Friendship was an established church during the Mexican War, the Civil War, the two World Wars, and all the conflicts since. What a heritage!

Churches that have grown out of New Friendship are Waughtown, Southside Baptist and Pleasant Fork of Winston-Salem, and Wallburg Baptist.

New Friendship Baptist is a mission-minded church which gives over 30% for the yearly budget to missions. The church became a member of Liberty Baptist Association soon after its organization in 1832 and has been a member since that time. The Liberty Association met with the church in 1848, 1859, 1871, 1889, 1905, 1920, 1941, 1953, 1965, and 1983.

In 1999, we received approximately $30,000.00 from the estate of Mrs. Emma Hamilton. In 2000, we received $350,000 from the estate of Mrs. Sarah Sink Goodson to be used strictly for the use and upkeep of the church cemetery.

God has richly blessed our church during the 175 years. We are truly blessed to be a part of a body of worshipers who have stood steadfast through many changes and adversities. "We have come this far by faith," and through continued faith, unity, and God's grace, New Friendship Baptist Church can look forward to proclaiming the Gospel until Jesus comes!

Respectfully submitted,
Jeanette Teague, Historical Committee

REEDS BAPTIST CHURCH HISTORY - 1989-2001

Previous histories of Reeds Baptist Church have been printed in the Associational minutes in 1972 and 1989. "We refer you to these annuals for our history up to 1989. In this edition of our history, I will simply list significant events for these years.

In August, 1989, Rev. David Cook was called as minister of music and youth. In October, the church celebrated the 150th anniversary of its beginnings on October 12-13, 1839. Several very interesting and informative activities were carried out, including a dramatic re-enactment of the service of organization. On Sunday morning an ordination service was held for two deacons, and an observance of the Lord's Supper was held, just as they were in 1839.

Our published history, *Reeds X Roads Baptist Church*, was a major project of our celebration. Many interesting and informative facts can be found in this book, as well as our Church History Room, in the basement area of our church. This room was prepared by the family of Mr. Randall and Mrs. Callie Sue

Leonard Michael in their memory.

Rev. John H. Pace, Sr. retired as pastor on January 31, 1991, having served since July, 1969. Dr. Hoke Coon was called to serve as interim pastor and served until February, 1993. In 1992, the church record keeping system was computerized, and a beautiful gazebo was erected on the church grounds by the Hugh Leonard family in their memory. Rev. Pace was honored with the title of Pastor Emeritus.

In February, 1993, Rev. Coley Rimmer was called as pastor and served the church until 1996. This year John H. Pace, Jr. was ordained to the ministry by the Walnut Grove Baptist Church in Walnut Grove, Mississippi. Rev. David Cook resigned as music and youth minister and Dr. Randy Long, a member of the church, assumed these duties. A long range planning committee was formed to make plans for the future of our church. New pew Bibles, Baptist hymnals, choir robes and a new electronic organ were purchased.

Following the resignation of Rev. Rimmer as pastor in 1996, the church called Rev. Morris Hollifield as interim pastor in January, 1997. Extensive renovations were made to the pulpit area and new carpet was installed in the auditorium.

Dr. Dan R. Hutchins was called as pastor, began his ministry on April 1, 1998, and he continues to serve as the present. During these recent years a new nursery suite has been put into service, new chimes have been installed, a new baby grand piano has been donated and the auditorium has been repainted. Mr. Stan Lovell has been called as music director.

As you can see, the church has been busy. But while all these things have been happening, many other things of great spiritual significance have been taking place. One of these areas is in volunteer missions. Reeds has always been a leader in giving and supporting missions, and the current generation of members is carrying on this tradition. Let me list some of their involvements in volunteer missions:
In 1985, Gene Smith went to Togo, West Africa for one month. In 1988, Judy Wood went to Antiqua to help in Bible School. From 1989 through 1991, groups from the church went each year to Rio Preto, Brazil, for witnessing and church construction. In 1994, ten or more people went to Albany, Ga. for flood cleanup. In 1995, three people went to Prague for two weeks of building renovation at International Baptist Theological Seminary. In 1994-1995, men from the church gave over 500 hours assisting a congregation in erecting a building in Yadkinville, NC. In 1995, several men made trips to assist an orphanage in Mexico. In 1996, three people went to Granada to help build pews for a church. In 1997, one person went with a group to Falmouth, Kentucky for flood cleanup. In 1997, three people went to Elistal, Germany for renovation work on the German Baptist Theological Seminary. Two people went to Nanning, China on a work mission. From 1998 to 2001, the youth of the church, along with their leaders, have ministered at a campground at Myrtle Beach for one week each year. In 1998-1999, men and women of the church spent many Saturdays working to build Love Creek Hispanic Baptist Church, Siler Creek, NC. In 1999, the men of the church helped with the Associational Handyman Ministry. Two men went to Honduras for hurricane cleanup.

From 1999 to the present, people from the church have made numerous trips to eastern North Carolina for hurricane Floyd cleanup and rebuilding. In 2000, six people went to Honduras for cleanup. While this is being written, six people from our church are in New York City for cleanup near ground zero. Add these to those many ministries and contributions of time and money that are done locally, along with our regular contributions through regular channels, we feel we can be proud of the history of Reeds Baptist Church.

John H. Pace Sr.
Church Historian

ELECTED MESSENGERS -OCTOBER 1, 2001 - AUGUST 31, 2002

(The names of Messengers who attended the Annual Meeting of 2001, or any Quarterly meeting in 2002, are in bold, italic text).

Abbotts Creek

Glinna Bryant
Ralph Bryant
Dot Canada
Roy Cantrell
Scott Ford
Mary Gann
Michael Gann
John Hedgecock
Mark Hollar
Betsy Leach
Pansy Moore
Betty Jo Motsinger
Daphne Motsinger
Hugh Motsinger
Michael Rinehardt
Jack Rose
Mary Smith
Evva Spurgeon
John Sulger
James Williams

Alternates

Bobby Canada
Betty Williams

Amity

Wayne Fulton
Dalton King
Cindi Lawson
Jimmy Lawson
Betty Proctor
Raymond Proctor

Alternates

Peggy Fulton
Eloise King
Angela Rohrer

Carolina Memorial

Arnold Atwood
Dolan Batten
Ella Batten
Betty Bradshaw
Hilda K. Byerly
Ethel Carter
Peggy Guffey
Louanne Hedrick
Tim Landreth
Jackie Lewis
Jackie Miller
Kenneth Miller
Brad Myers
Loretta Ogden

Carolina Memorial - continued

Julie Russell
Sandra White
Stuart White
Carlene Wright
Raleigh York, Jr.
Fred Young
Pauline Young

Cedar Lodge

Judy Bevan
Russell Brownworth
Brenda Emmons
Bill Reece
Evelyn Reece
Joan York

Center Hill

Bessie Blackwell
Frank Carter
Brenda Forrest
Goldie Hicks
Betty Honbaier
Edith Lumsden
Glenda Mabry
Lamar Moore, Jr.
Mary Ruth Sheets
Layne Wallace

Central

Billy Sloop
Dora Sloop

Churchland

C. J. Everhart
Muriel Everhart
Alice Greene
Vernelle Greene
Sue Hilliard
John Marshall
Steve Martin
Calvin Mullineaux
Janice Mullineaux
Nancy Swicegood
Nancy Wells

Alternates:

Betty Rickard

Clearview

Bill Freeman
Nell Freeman

Coggins Memorial

Claudia Askins
Lowell Askins
Charles Dickens

Coggins Memorial-continued
Judy Dickens
Rita Hobbs
Lillian Hyatt
David Shaffer
Karen Shaffer
Lionel Wall

Colonial
Connie Burgess
Carolyn Embler
P. D. Embler
Ricky Embler
Steve Jarvis
Billy King
Jerry Shores
Don Wilborne

Denton, First
David Darrow
Verda Lewis
Peggy Moore
Margaret Morris
Vern Peterson
Linda Skeen
Dewey Snider
Goldia Spivey
Inez Varner
Alternate
Betty Lomax

Faith
Janeth Bean
Lilly Curry
Dawn English
Kristi Foster
Trevor Foster
Mike Singleton
Joyce Snider

Floyd
None Reported

Greenwood
Bill Ferguson
Dorothy Ferguson
Ruby Glenn
Dot Goodin
John Gore
Judy Grubb
Maxine Hudson
Carolyn Livengood
Stephen Livengood
JoAnn Maley
Grace Sexton
Ray Sexton

Hasty
Brown Baity

Hasty - continued
Edna Baity
John D. Cecil, Jr.
John D. Cecil, Sr.
Mildred Cecil
Bernard Ferrell
Emily Hushour
Chris Lingerfelt

High Rock
Russ Bailey
Carolyn Cooper
Russell Cooper

Hillside Park
None Reported

Holloways
Jim Beanblossom
Jane Carrick
Ronald Carrick
Nancy Darr
R. H. Leonard
Bynum Orr
Carol Sams
James Sams, Jr.

Jersey
George Beeker
Margaret Beeker
Michael Collier
Charlotte Cook
David Crumpler
Sara Knapp
Barbara Mason
Becky Myers
Malcolm Myers
Rick Myers
Carolyn Smith
Harold Tate
Virginia Tate

Lakeview
Dot Nester
Hugh Nester
Mildred Rabon
Leonard Rollins (deceased)
Betty Simmerson
Henry Wood

Lexington, First
Bruce Hill
Ray Howell, III
Opal Johnson
Wade Johnson
Mark Kemp
Polly Rollins
Sandra Wilson
Tommy Wilson

Liberty

Harvey Grubb
Carl Hunt (deceased)
Doris Lopp
Lucy Lopp

Lick Creek

Eddie Lothridge
Susan Lothridge
Hilda Ours
Frances Pait
Hulon Pait
Phillip Yates

Mills Homes

None Reported

Mountain View

John Kroh
Catherine Parker
Clay Parker
Brenda Parks
Darrell Parks

New Friendship

Jane Brown
Chris Byrne
Shirley Higgs
Tom Higgs
Tom Sale
Gloria South
Roy South
Jeanette Teague

North Lexington

Tammy Campbell
Robert Dennis
Shirley Floyd
Lillian Fritts
Thurman Fritts
Jake Sharpe
Chuck Williams

Oak Hill Memorial

Charles Barker
Sara Barker
Shelby Barker
Betty Beck
Billy J. Beck
Billy R. Beck
Jim Disher
Kathy Disher
Gary Myers
Joyce Myers
Bettie Stone

Oakhurst

No Report

Park Place

Lillian Bartlett

Park Place - continued

Bertie Benfield
Rodney Douglas
Sandy Douglas
Christine Everhart
Willis Maley
Dean Marion
Doris Meredith
Jim Perry
Susan Scarboro
Markus Sink

Reeds

Alex Beck
Charlotte Beck
Connie Forrest
Sylvia Hanes
William Hanes
Dan Hutchins
Wanda Hutchins
Bobbie Pace
John Pace
Jeanette Shoaf
Ann Smith
Gene Smith
Jo Carroll Smith
Larry Smith
Judy Wood

Rich Fork

Yvonne Avant
J. Byron Barker
Michael Bowers
Ivan D. Crissman, Jr.
Cora Dorsett
Virginia Fritts
John Gwaltney
Bob James
Glenn S. Nance
Joyce Nance

Smith Grove

Jack Cooke
Margie Cooke
Beverly Dyson
Haywood Graves
Margaret Graves
Jeanne Hanes
Kenny Lanning
Jim Orrell
Shelby Orrell
Martha Swing
Braxton Troublefield
Sarah Troublefield

Southgate

Grover Beck, Sr.

Southgate - continued
Glenda Bray
John Bray
Harry Buckingham (deleted 3-18-02)
Julie Buckingham (deleted 3-18-02)
Chuck Garner
Randy Hill
Betty Hughes
Don Hughes
Denise Ingram
Gloria Irby
Leon Irby
Jerry Stilwell
Isaac Stowe, Jr. (added 3-18-02)
Juleen Stowe (added 3-18-02)
Kenneth Williams

Southside
Ron Blakley
Jerry Darnell
Bobby Gales
Cora George
Faye Goins
Esther J. House
Elaine Hulin
William Hulin
Taysha McGee
Ava House Turner

Alternates
Martha Gales
Pauline Matthews
Rocky Turner

Stoner's Grove
Donna Best
R. N. Hardin
Barbara Hicks
Bill Hicks
Nee Nee Jones
Paul Tucker
Janice Tysinger

Summerville
Lynn Garner
Ethan Hedrick
Larry Michael
Yoshiko Michael
Flynn Richardson
Andy Tuttle (deleted 2-6-02)
Todd Varner

Thomasville, First
David Best
Robert Burchette
Brenda Ferguson
Donna Ferguson
Sylvia Finney

Thomasville, First - continued
Diane Gallimore
Eva Nifong
Maurine Perryman
Aldeen Robbins
Ann Robbins
Mem Rollins
Henry Traynham

Trinity
Carrie Ann Fulbright
Cindy Koontz
Charles Tanner
Linda Tanner
Mary Waddell
Eva Younts

Victory
Jewell Morrow
Phillip Morrow

Wallburg
Ann Beeson
Max Evington (deleted 2-10-02)
Orilee Evington (deleted 2-10-02)
Jimmie Hines (added 3-10-02)
Sarah Hines (added 3-10-02)
Charles Holcomb
Emily Holcomb
Morris Hollifield
Margaret Motsinger (added 9-01)
Robert Motsinger (added 9-01)
Edith Reid (added 9-01)
Nolan Reid (added 9-01)
Jo Ann Roumillat
Raymond Roumillat

Welcome, First
Mark Blair
Keith Brown
Paul Chenoweth
Rose Chenoweth
Jana Eanes
Linda Nifong
Robert Odom
Virginia Odom
Faye Smith
Martin Smith
Michael Sullivan
Carol Ann Yarbrough
Judy Yarbrough

ELECTED MESSENGERS - OCTOBER 7, 2002 - AUGUST 31, 2003

(The names of Messengers who attended the Annual Meeting on October 7, 2002, are in bold, italic text).

Abbotts Creek

Glinna Bryant
Ralph Bryant
Bobby Canaca
Dot Canada
Scott Ford
Mary Gann
Mark Hollar
Betsy Leach
Pansy Moore
Patrick Moss
Betty Jo Motsinger
Daphne Motsinger
Hugh Motsinger
Michael Rinehardt
Ricky Robertson
Jack Rose
Mary Smith
Evva Spurgeon
John Sulger
James Williams
Jamie Williams

Alternates

Betty Williams

Amity

Wayne Fulton
Dalton King
Cindi Lawson
Jimmy Lawson
Betty Proctor
Raymond Proctor

Alternates

John Fulton
Peggy Fulton
Eloise King
Angela Rohrer

Carolina Memorial

Arnold Atwood
Betty Atwood
Dolan Batten
Ella Batten
Betty Bradshaw
Hilda K. Byerly
Peggy Guffey
Louanne Hedrick
Tim Landreth
Jackie Lewis
Kenneth Miller
Judy Morrison
Brad Myers

Carolina Memorial - continued

Linda Myers
Duane Ogden
Loretta Ogden
Sandra White
Stuart White
Annette Whitley
Carlene Wright
Raleigh York, Jr.
Richard York

Cedar Lodge

Elizabeth Brownworth
Russell Brownworth
Al Craver
Brenda Emmons
Patsy Hinkle
Bill Reece
Evelyn Reece
Opal Suggs

Center Hill

Frank Carter
Roy Cantrell
Brenda Forrest
Randy Forrest
Goldie Hicks
Betty Honbaier
Glenda Mabry
Lamar Moore, Jr.
Mary Ruth Sheets

Central

Billy Sloop
Dora Sloop

Churchland

C. J. Everhart
Muriel Everhart
Betty Ferguson
Alice Greene
Vernelle Greene
Leona Hartley
Tom Hartley
Steve Martin
Calvin Mullineaux
Janice Mullineaux
Nancy Wells

Clearview

Bill Freeman
Nell Freeman
Nancy Hall

Coggins Memorial

Claudia Askins
Lowell Askins
Charles Dickens
Judy Dickens
Michael Ester
Rita Hobbs
Lillian Hyatt
Jose J. Rodriquez
David Shaffer
Karen Shaffer
Lionel Wall

Colonial

Connie Burgess
Mickey Childers
Patsy Childers
Carolyn Embler
Ricky Embler
Don Wilborne
Edna Wilborne

Denton, First

Scott Hall
Don Hill
Verda Lewis
Peggy Moore
Vern Peterson
Linda Skeen
Dewey Snider
Goldia Spivey
Angela Talley
Johnny Talley

Faith

Janeth Bean
David Curry
Sandy Curry
Kristi Foster
Trevor Foster
Sam Grimes
Wayne Tysinger

Floyd

Fred Miller

Greenwood

Elsie Bowers
Gurley Bowers
Brenda Ferguson
Roger Ferguson
Ruby Glenn
John Gore
Judi Grubb
Linda Haynes
Robert Haynes
Maxine Hudson
Carolyn Livengood

Greenwood - continued

Stephen Livengood

Hasty

Brown Baity
Edna Baity
John D. Cecil, Jr.
Claude Eddinger
Doris Eddinger
Bernard Ferrell
Chris Lingerfelt

High Rock

None Reported

Hillside Park

None Reported

Holloways

Jim Beanblossom
Jane Carrick
Ronald Carrick
Nancy Darr
Bynum Orr
Carol Sams
James Sams, Jr.

Jersey

George Beeker
Margaret Beeker
Michael Collier
Charlotte Cook
David Crumpler
Sara Knapp
Barbara Mason
Becky Myers
Malcolm Myers
Pam Shoaf
Sammy Shoaf
Lloyd Shuman
Carolyn Smith
Harold Tate
Virginia Tate

Lakeview

Mary Flint
Tim Flint
Dot Nester
Hugh Nester
Mildred Rabon
Betty Simmerson
Henry Wood

Lexington, First

Bruce Hill
Ray Howell, III
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Michael Robertson
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Jim Orrell
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Martha Swing

Smith Grove - continued

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John Bray

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Jack Rafferty

Louise Rafferty

Paul Tucker

Pauline Warfford

Summerville

Brenda Everhart

Kevin Everhart

Tiffany Everhart

Barbara Foster

Ethan Hedrick

Dale Larson

Vaudi Larson

Marie Loftin

Larry Michael

Summerville - continued

Yoshiko Michael

Flynn Richardson

Linda Spoon

Debbie Wall

Thomasville, First

David Best

Brenda Ferguson

Don Ferguson

Donna Ferguson

Sharon Leonard

Eva Nifong

Maurine Perryman

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Tom Tonsor

Mary Waddell

Alternate

Robert Caudle

Victory

Wendy Hughes

Shelbia Magee

Sonya Magee

Jewell Morrow

Phillip Morrow

Joanne Yokley

Alternate

Cheryl Eddinger

Wallburg

Ann Beeson

Catherine Higgins

Robert Higgins

Charles Holcomb

Emily Holcomb

Morris Hollifield

Martha Jenkins

James Martin

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LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION REPORTS

ALPHA PREGNANCY SUPPORT, INC

To the Moderator, the Officers and all the Pastors of Liberty Baptist Association: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord, Jesus Christ! "The Lord has done great things for us whereof we are glad."

God has placed Alpha Pregnancy Support in this community to teach people about the love of Christ, to offer an alternative to abortion and to minister to hurting women and men in a crisis pregnancy. We are able to carry on this work because of the generous donations of concerned individuals, churches and businesses. As a Christian ministry, we do not receive any government funding. Since the issued of abortion is a politically sensitive subject, many do not receive the ministry or the staff in a positive manner.

Last year, at Alpha we ministered to a record number of clients in 511 counseling sessions. We ministered to 122 new clients and 389 women who are long term returning clients and have been involved in a crisis or pregnancy. Of the new clients, 54% of those women were teenagers, but God has done great things. 75% of the new clients were presented the Gospel of Christ and 60 or 49% of the clients accepted Christ as Savior. A total of 175 or 34% o the total clients returned for Bible study sessions and 88 babies were born.

Since my affiliation with Alpha in 1998, we have received 417 new clients, compared to the 533 clients received between 1991 and 1997. Of the total clients received since 1998, 201 have accepted Christ and are pursuing a new transformation. To God be the glory, for the great things He has done!

Some of the services we provide at Alpha include: Abortion Alternatives; Christian Adoption Education; Abstinence Education; Post Abortion Counseling; Bible Study; Spiritual and Pregnancy Counseling; and MOMS Support Classes.

When a woman is considering abortion and visits a crisis pregnancy center, 40% of the time she will choose life for her unborn child. Alpha is a great ministry and a partner with the church and the community to save the lives of unborn children and to make an eternal difference in the lives of mothers.

We hope that all churches and businesses will become a part of this vital ministry with their financial support and by participating in the fund-raisers. There are many opportunities to educate individuals and church members about the Sanctity of Human Life. In addition, many can learn some of the ways Alpha has been effective in ministering to clients.

Alpha is staffed by volunteers and employs one full-time director and one part-time assistant. We operate on a small budget of approximately $36,000 a year, including rent, utilities, office supplies, insurance and salaries. Your commitment will enable us to continue the vital work to which God has called us.

Alpha's future will depend on your support. Please help us make North Carolina a Prolife state. You can proclaim your Prolife position across this country by advertising the Prolife License Plate entitled, "Choose Life."

In addition to promoting Abstinence Education in the local schools, Alpha plans to partner with the community colleges and educate students about abortion.

Alpha's long term goal is to expand in a new building and purchase an Ultra Sound machine. The Ultra Sound will provide abortion minded clients the opportunity to see their babies alive and moving in the womb. This experience will enable even more mothers to "Choose Life."

Please pray that God will put the need for an Ultra Sound machine within the hearts of pastors, congregations, individuals, and businesses throughout this community. Please pray that this need will be seriously considered. We are privileged to make a genuine difference in the lives of many hurting people and the lives of unborn children. As God provides, we shall continue to do so.

Thanks to all who participated in the Walk For Life fund-raiser on September 28th. Alpha is also planning a Baby Bottle Campaign for the Sanctity of Human Life. The Annual Banquet will again be held in the spring. Call Alpha for additional information or if you have any comments or questions.

Jesus reminds us, "Inasmuch as you have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, you have done it unto me." Matthew 25:40

May God continue to reward you for the good you have done.

Bonnie Laney Executive Director

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY REPORT

Praise the Lord! Our 2001-2002 year was fantastic in the Liberty Baptist Association. God has blessed us with a wonderful spirit of love and cooperation. Our churches are concerned about missions and the lost people of the world.

Let me also say, "Thank You," to those who give of their time and energy to help build the new, "Rollins Mission Center." New friendships were formed and bonds of fellowship were created among those who labored together. This new building will house our world literature distribution, prison ministry, toy store, and disaster recovery trailer.

Some highlights from our 2002 Congregational Profiles

	2001	2002	% change
Baptisms	266	257	.034 -
Additions	289	315	.09 +
Members	17246	17129	.07 -
Active Members	13959	13735	.016 -
Worship Average	6527	6670	.022 +
S. S. Enrollment	8777	8443	.038 -
S. S. Average	4982	5061	.016 +
Music	2469	2650	.073 +
People involved in mission projects	2007	1435	.285 -
Churches total receipts	$9,409,615	$10,531,748	.119 +
Total mission expenditures	$1,244,522	$1,225,008	.016 -
Giving to the Association	$136,575	$145,065	.062 +
VBS (35 of 42) churches reporting	4692	5065	.08 +

Our reports show us some good and some bad:

Additions were up by 9%.
Music involvement was up.
VBS was up. This means we are continuing to reach children for Christ.
Average Worship and Sunday School attendance were up.
Associational giving was also up.
My concerns are we are losing ground in baptisms and church membership.
Mission volunteers were also down sharply. This is convention wide after 9/11/01.

My Activity Report:

Visits to our churches	114	Ordination/Installations/Dedications	3
Spoke or preached	79	Pulpit Committee training	5
Meetings attended	225	Days worked on new building	19

Types of work I am involved in:

New Church Work
Discipleship
Resolution Committee
Program Committee
Committee on Nominations
Ministers' conferences
Partnership Committee
Mission studies
Evangelism
Counseling and Career Assessment
Conflict Management
Scholarship Committee
Pulpit Committees
Finance Committee
Building and Planning
Baptist State Convention
Web site development
Denominational & local seminars
Ethnic Committee
Executive Meetings
Personnel Committee
Place & Preacher Committee
LBA Secretary's Meetings
Mission Development Committee
Toy Store Ministry
Prison Ministry
Meetings with Pastors and Staff
Advertising and planning
Pastor mailings
Denominational meetings

Our plans and goals for 2003 include:

- Having every church involved in some type of mission project.
- Having every church re-think their mission and focus on evangelism and outreach.
- I would like every church to consider a program, "Making Good Churches Better." It will be designed to fit your church to help in re-focus, conflict management, and helping to reach those on the outside.
- Starting a new church.
- Developing a camp ground ministry at High Rock Lake, and possibly other sites.
- 100% participation of our churches in VBS.
- Having an open heart that we may go where God leads us.

Our Future

Our journey ahead will be marked by years of change, change, and more change. Change can be threatening or joyful. For the Christian it should be looked at with anticipation. We know who holds the future. We know how it all works out. We must meet the future with enthusiasm, vision, and energy. The challenges of the future demand that we let go of yesterday and envision what has yet to be! Let us not be complacent with the, "status quo," of today, but creatively dream how to become more efficient in what God has called us to accomplish.

Our Mission for the New Millennium

2. Preach the precious, redeeming Gospel of Jesus Christ, resulting in disciples.
3. Minister to all people, not just those who are in the church.
4. And fellowship with people at the point of their need.

Thank you for every dime you and your church send to missions, not only to your Association, but gifts to the Cooperative Program, and through special offerings. Your mission dollars make it possible for millions to hear the wonderful news of Jesus Christ. I know your gifts of time and money will be blessed by God and multiplied to reach His world.

Let me close by thanking you for your trust and allowing me to use my gifts here in the Liberty Association.

Respectfully,
Michael R. Ester

BROTHERHOOD/BAPTIST MEN ANNUAL REPORT

Report on trip to Honduras

What a wonderful trip we had!! We had a good flight down and all the luggage made it also. The Dietz's were there to meet us -- what wonderful hosts they were.

Our project was to build latrines and we finished 11 completely with doors and roof. There was a problem with one of the bases and it could not be completed. Our team worked so good together. Each one carried out their duties in a Christian way. We had three ladies, along with Crystal Brim, who is the summer missionary. They worked with Bible School and had groups from 40-80 each day, averaging approximately 60 each day for five days. They also helped with the project. We had wonderful devotions each morning and night and discussions following.

On Sunday, we worshiped at the church in the village where the project was located. Salvador Rivera was pastor and he had a good service. He is doing a good work there. We noticed a lady there that come forward and asked that we pray for her. She had an abscessed tooth and was swollen real bad. We inquired about whether or not she needed to see a doctor so on Monday, she took the bus into town and got the medical attention that she needed. They had to lance the abscess and she received medication. She was at the dedication service with a big smile - and her face was back to normal.

Our team was also able to help a lady that stood at Raymond and Pat's gate. Raymond said she had five children and her husband had left her and she had no place to live. He told us he felt led to mention it to us - and he would say no more. She was trying to buy a lot so that she would have some place she could live or build a shack or something to stay in. She had an offer on paper to buy a lot for 1,992 limps. We prayed about it and soon there was 2,160 limps ($135) on the table. Raymond will handle this and they were checking with the lady who owned the lot.

On our last day, there was a small baby (looked to be about 6 months old but was actually 18 months old). There was a little girl carrying the baby around and we found out the small baby had a fever. We discussed this situation with Pastor Salvador and the missionary (Raymond). There was no milk or food for the baby. We gave the pastor 100 limps to buy milk and baby food (cereal). We left 821 ($51) more limps to buy milk and food for the baby and that will be enough for approximately 10 more weeks. We found out the morning we were leaving that the baby's mother died last week. The pastor reported that only a couple of children were taking care of the baby. He did get them food and the baby was being taken to the doctor on Wednesday. They will be checking into this and try to help with the children.

Fidel Bardales was the Honduras worker that was over the project. He led us out to work each day and looked out for our safety. Fidel is also a pastor. He was very helpful and he spoke English. We had our dedication of the project on our last workday. We had approximately 85 people at the dedication service. We introduced our team and each one of us spoke a few words. Fidel brought a message then. We had discussed with Pastor Salvador about washing the feet of our Honduras brothers and sisters. Our ladies washed the sister's feet and the men washed the brother's feet. This was a very humbling experience. An invitation was given and we had 25 people to respond. Our team circled these and led them in the sinner's prayer. It was a great experience and we all felt the spirit of the Lord.

On Wednesday afternoon, some of the group visited Tamara where some of our team had worked before. We gave the church their Spanish Bibles and New Testaments. We also visited Suyapa where we had built two houses on an earlier trip. We also visited the families there.

We had a good trip home and everyone arrived safe and sound and full of memories to be discussed with our church families and friends.

Associational money was used as follows:

-	Electrical Wiring	$100
-	Honduras Workers	80
-	Medical Fund	200

Respectfully submitted,
John Gore, 2001-2002 Co-Chairman

DAVIDSON MEDICAL MINISTRIES CLINIC REPORT

Greetings Friends:
It is an honor to write to you and express my appreciation for your support of the work of Davidson Medical Ministries. These are trying times and we are grateful for not only your financial support, but your prayers and your volunteer efforts.

As Davidson County residents experience a rapid increase in the unemployment market, the needs for human services have sky rocketed. A year ago, people that I spoke with during the United Way campaign and gave to the work of DMMC are now coming to our door asking for help with medication and doctor visits, because they no longer have health insurance. How do you tell someone who has believed in your cause and gave of their hard-earned money that there is simply not enough resources to go around.

At DMMC we are forced, on a daily basis, to limit the number of requests for services. We have limited time and finances to meet the needs that are available. Yesterday was one of those days, when ten new people wanted the three new patient spots available in the clinic for that night. There is no fair and just way to handle situation such as those, so we do the best we can, by saying that our appointments are first come, first serve, so as not to place our volunteers in a situation of choosing one person over another. Reluctantly, the others are told to try again on another day or go to the local emergency room if they feel they cannot wait. Sadly, many don't understand whey they can't be seen and why we limit our services or why some services are specialized.

Reality is, DMMC is dependent upon the volunteer support that exists within our professional community to provide the services. Our new building was designed to accommodate two medical providers, one dentist and one hygienist each clinic. However, that is not the case most clinics. Without that support we cannot have clinics. The 1,307 medical visits and 428 dental visits could have been doubled with adequate volunteer support.

In our pharmacy, the need for volunteers still ranks at the top of our wish list, but we are fortunate to have a staff pharmacist that allows us to maintain a full scheduled of services regardless of whether volunteers are available. In 2001, DMMC filled 20,479 prescriptions at a customer cost of $1,5 million. In the first six months of 2002, we had filled 15,000 prescriptions at a customer cost of $1 million. It looks to be an even bigger year than before.

But all is not gloom, there is much that God is doing through DMMC. We are open more and serving more clients in more ways than ever before.

- We have five pharmacy clinics per week
- We have two medical-dental clinics per week, volunteers permitting
- We have two chronic disease clinics per week for diabetic/hypertension patients
- We have a weekly lab clinic
- We have two nursing clinics per week
- We have three children's dental (medical) clinics per week, operated by the health department
- We have a monthly Hispanic clinic
- We have a network for referrals for specialty care and procedures

All in all, DMMC doors are open 47 hours per week and if all our services were counted individually and operated separately, we would be open 150 hours per week.

Having said all that, I want to say this, "Thank you for being a part of something great in Davidson County." Not only does Liberty Baptist Association support the work of DMMC, so do many of your individual churches. Please know that without that help we would not exist. I also know that these are trying times for churches as well, but I encourage you to support the work of DMMC and to come by and see what's happening.

DMMC is always in need of volunteers of all shapes and sizes. We need daytime volunteers, we need not only our professional volunteers but business people and retirees. We needs groups to provide meals for our volunteers, and we need groups to sponsor projects on our behalf.

We are a team! Each time we touch the life of someone hurting and in need, you are a part of that. Thank you and may God bless you!

Sandy Motley, Executive Director

DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING ANNUAL REPORT

Discipling believers is one of the primary tasks of believers. Spiritual growth is a necessity for every child of God. The process of discipleship begins at the point of personal salvation and continues for a lifetime. It is a great blessing when a church senses the responsibility of helping members to grow spiritually and thus provides training opportunities for this purpose.

Through a planned Discipleship Training Ministry in the local church many training opportunities can be offered and provided for the membership. A great host of training materials are available that can serve to assist believers in their walk with the Lord.

One area of Discipleship Training in which we have experienced increased interest in Liberty Baptist Association this year is Bible Drills. Six Liberty Baptist Association churches participated in the Bible Drills this year. Praise the Lord for each Youth, Child, and Adult that was involved in the Drills. We do encourage other churches to consider this work and provide it for your Youth and Children.

May the Lord richly bless in the work of Discipleship Training in Liberty Baptist Association. May the joy of spiritual growth continually fill your life as well as that of the membership of your church. We do trust that the year ahead will be a great year for reaching people in the churches within Liberty Baptist Association and that follow-up with these people will include a Discipleship Program that will help these folks to grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior.

Mark Blair and Stuart White
Associational Discipleship Training Supporters

EVANGELISM COMMITTEE REPORT

We are counting down the weeks, and the days, to our Associational ***"On Mission Celebration"*** that will begin with a Jubilee Fellowship and prayer time at Jersey Baptist Church on Saturday evening, October 26th, at 6:00 p.m. Everyone in the participating churches is invited to this Jubilee. As a matter of fact, everyone in the Association, whether your church is participating in the OMC or note, is invited to the Jubilee and any of the services at any of the participating churches. Please let the office of Jersey Baptist Church (336/357-2721), know how many in your church are planning to attend, so there will be enough supper for everyone.

The ***"On Mission Celebration"*** services will then begin on Sunday morning, October 27th, and every evening thereafter through Wednesday, October 30th. Each evening service will begin at 7:00 p.m. The missionaries and their speaking locations are listed on the following two pages. If you have any questions, please call the associational office. I would like to thank the ***"On Mission Celebration"*** committee for all their hard work and dedication. Especially, we would like to thank Gail Beck for the many, many hours she put into working out all the details with the State, North American Mission Board, and the International Mission Board. (Mike Ester helped a little too. Thanks Mike!)

Thank you for letting me serve these four years as chairman of this great committee. Our goal is to keep before our churches our Associational Mission Statement: **"To be a Spirit-led family of churches who train, counsel, encourage and assist each other in fulfilling the Great Commission and the Great Commandment."** We have sought to do this through this three year plan of the Associational simultaneous **Jesus: The Light of the World** revivals and the ***"On Mission Celebration."*** Pray for revival in our churches, our association, our State Convention, our National Convention, and among Christians all around the world. May we, as an association of Baptist churches, keep before our people the need to always be ready with a testimony to share so that we can be certain our friends and relations have heard the Good News of salvation in Christ.

Respectfully submitted,
J. Michael Collier, 2001-2002 Chairman

OCTOBER 27-30, 2002

MISSIONARY	Oct. 27 Sun. am	Oct. 27 Sun. pm	OCT. 28 Mon. pm	OCT. 29 Tues. pm	OCT. 30 Wed. pm
(S) Wendy Edwards	Denton	Wallburg	Amity	Thomasville	Carolina Mem
(S) Brenda Gray	Reeds	Abbots Cr	North Lex.	Holloways	Park Place
(S) Jim Lambert	Lakeview	Cedar Lodge	Jersey	Coggins	Trinity
(S) Pam Mungo	Coggins Hispanic	Liberty	Faith	New Friendship	Southgate
(S) C. F. McDowell	Central	Oak Hill	Colonial	Smith Grove	Welcome
(NA) Lora L. Smith	Cedar Lodge	Colonial	Denton	North Lex	Lakeview
(NA) Terry W. Dorsett	Amity	Coggins	New Friendship	Cedar Lodge	Holloways
(NA) Joseph F. Norris	Faith	Amity	Lakeview	Trinity	Colonial
(NA) Jason A. Payne	Holloways	Faith	Oak Hill	Denton	Liberty
(NA) John M. Bailey	Park Place	Carolina Mem	Trinity	Reeds	Wallburg
(NA) Chet Cantrell	Carolina Mem	Jersey	Coggins	Abbotts Cr	North Lex
(NA) Jim Arrant	Abbotts Cr	Southgate	Park Place	Jersey	Reeds

OCTOBER 27-30, 2002

MISSIONARY	Oct. 27 Sun. am	Oct. 27 Sun. pm	OCT. 28 Mon. pm	OCT. 29 Tues. pm	OCT. 30 Wed. pm
(NA) Jim Kestner	Wallburg	Welcome	Thomasville	Southgate	Smith Grove
(NA) Jean Rabon	Liberty	Smith Grove	Welcome	Oak Hill	Central
(I) Kimberly Cain	Trinity	Holloways	Abbotts Cr	Wallburg	Cedar Lodge
(I) Anita Joseph	Jersey	Lakeview	Reeds	Colonial	Amity
(I) James E. Joseph	Welcome	Central	Carolina Mem	Park Place	Abbotts Cr
(I) Judy L. Miller	Coggins	North Lex	Smith Grove	Carolina Mem	Oak Hill
(I) Paul H. Phan	North Lex	Denton	Liberty	Lakeview	Jersey
(I) Gene D. Phillips	Smith Grove	Reeds	Wallburg	Amity	Denton
(I) Jean Phillips	Thomasville	Park Place	Southgate	Faith	New Friendship
(I) Gina Roberts	Oak Hill	New Friendship	Central	Liberty	Thomasville
(I) Quentin Roberts	Southgate	Trinity	Cedar Lodge	Welcome	Faith
(I) Michael K. Shipman	Colonial	Thomasville	Holloways	Central	Coggins

MISSION MINISTRY BUDGET - ADOPTED JULY 8, 2002
GENERAL FUND - LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
September 1, 2002 - August 31, 2003

		2001-2002	2002-2003
MISSIONS			
Mission Support			
5101	Alpha Pregnancy Center	600	600
5102	Brotherhood Handyman Ministries/Trailer	700	1,000
5103	Seaman's Center Ministry	250	250
5104	Literature Ministry	1,000	500
5105	DCCC Campus Ministry	25	100
5106	Davidson Medical Ministries Clinic	600	600
5107	Davidson County Prison Ministry	3,400	4,000
5108	Disaster Relief Fund	500	500
5109	Ethnic Ministry	500	500
5110	Davidson County Women's Prison	600	600
5111	Seminary Extension	500	500
5112	Cooperative Community Ministries, Thomasville		200
5113	Crisis Ministry of Davidson County		200
5120	Christian Activity Center, East St. Louis, IL	1,400	1,400
5122	New Work	12,000	12,000
5124	Partnership Missions	1,000	2,500
5140	WMU Toy Store Ministry	275	275
5150	WMU Prison Ministry	1,200	1,200
5160	Youth Events	2,000	2,000
	Sub-Total	**$26,550**	**$ 28,925**
PERSONNEL			
Director of Missions			
5210	DOM Total Package	70,760	
	Salary		27,583
	Housing Allowance		26,000
	Travel Allowance		4,000
	Social Security Offset		6,000
	Retirement		1,300
	Christmas Gift		300
	Hospital & Life Insurance		7,700
	Sub-Total	**$ 70,760**	**$ 72,883**
Office Manager			
5220	Salary		
5221	FICA/Med-Care		
5222	Christmas Gift		
5223	Disability & Life Insurance		
5224	Retirement		
	Sub-Total	**$ 20,640**	**$ 21,259**
SUPPORT			
5230	Clerk	450	450
5231	Treasurer	625	1,200
5232	Temporary Secretary	700	1,000
5330	Associational Speakers	600	400
5331	Church Secretaries Association	100	100
5332	Convention Expense (DOM-$1,200; Sec.-$300)	2,100	1,500

			2001-2002	2002-2003
	5333	Equipment (Color Printer)	3,300	2,500
	5340	Library/Media/Audio Visuals	500	500
	5351	Historical Committee	100	100
	5360	Newsletter	900	600
	5361	Newsletter Postage	1,700	1,000
	5362	Office Supplies	1,500	2,000
	5363	Office Postage	1,800	2,000
	5364	Printing of Minutes	1,700	1,500
	5370	Telephone	1,200	1,400
	5384	Minister's Conference	500	500
		Sub-Total	**$17,775**	**$ 16,750**
TRAINING/EQUIPPING SUPPORT				
	5401	Brotherhood	1,000	1,000
	5402	Discipleship Training	200	350
	5403	Evangelism	500	5,000
	5404	Key Leadership Conference	300	300
	5405	Music	200	200
	5406	Sunday School	250	250
	5407	Christian Life & Public Affairs	200	200
	5408	Pastoral Ministries Committee	250	250
	5409	Associational Program Committee	1,200	1,800
	5420	VBS	600	600
	5430	WMU	650	650
	5440	Youth	200	500
	5450	Senior Adults	600	800
	5460	Single Adults	100	100
0	5470	Missions Development Council	200	200
		Sub-Total	**$ 6,450**	**$ 12,200**
ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICE SUPPORT				
	5510	Insurance	1,300	1,300
	5520	Maintenance	2,000	1,500
	5521	Custodial Services	550	500
	5522	Yard Service	350	200
	5530	Utilities	2,500	3,000
	5531	Office Equipment-Maintenance	3,000	1,500
		Sub-Total	**$ 9,700**	**$ 8,000**
OTHER SUPPORT				
	5610	Miscellaneous	3,500	3,500
	5620	Rollins-DOM Conference Expense	150	
		Sub-Total	**$ 3,650**	**$ 3,500**
		TOTAL AMOUNT OF BUDGET	**$155,525**	**$163,517**

BUDGET EXPLANATIONS AND INFORMATION

1. The Budget was increased this year by 5.1%.
2. Office Manager's salary based on a 35 hour week. Benefits include two (2) weeks paid vacation. There will be 5 personal/sick day, plus one for every year of service. These days will not carry over to the next year. The time off is funded by the Temporary Secretary line item.
3. Clerk's salary will be paid as single payment by August 31 each year.
4. Treasurer's salary will be paid monthly.

LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, Thomasville, North Carolina
GENERAL BUDGET FINANCIAL REPORT - SEPTEMBER 1, 2001 THRU AUGUST 31, 2002
REPORT ENDING DATE - AUGUST 31, 2002

Acct. No.	Item	Disbursements YTD	Received YTD	Balance YTD	2001-2002 Budget
MISSIONS					
	Mission Support				
5101	Alpha Pregnancy Center	600.00	0.00	0.00	600.00
5102	Brotherhood/Handyman/Trailer	546.84	0.00	153.16	700.00
5103	Seaman's Center Ministry	250.00	0.00	0.00	250.00
5104	Literature Ministry	500.00	0.00	500.00	1000.00
5105	DCCC Campus Ministry	0.00	0.00	25.00	25.00
5106	Davidson Med. Min. Clinic	600.00	0.00	0.00	600.00
5107	Davidson Co. Prison Min.	5,039.96	1,639.96	0.00	3,400.00
5108	Disaster Relief Fund	500.00	0.00	0.00	500.00
5109	Ethnic Ministries	572.00	72.00	0.00	500.00
5110	Davidson Co. Women's Prison	600.00	0.00	0.00	600.00
5111	Seminary Extension	256.36	22.00	265.64	500.00
5120	Christian Activity Center	2,120.35	720.35	0.00	1,400.00
5122	New Work (10% of Undesig.)	14,557.83	0.00	(2,557.83)	12000.00
5124	Partnership Missions	2,044.26	1,369.50	325.24	1,000.00
5140	WMU Toy Store Ministry	52.32	0.00	222.68	275.00
5150	WMU Prison Ministry	107.21	0.00	1,092.79	1,200.00
5160	Youth Events	706.50	13.50	1,307.00	2,000.00
	Sub-Total	**$29,053.63**	**$3,837.31**	**$1,333.68**	**$26,550.00**
PERSONNEL					
	Director of Missions				
5210	DOM Total Package	70,760.00	0.00	0.00	70,760.00
	Sub-Total	**$70,760.00**	**$0.00**	**$0.00**	**$70,760.00**
	Administrative Secretary				
5220	Salary	16,570.50	0.00	209.90	16,780.40
5221	FICA/Med-Care	1,251.62	0.00	32.08	1,283.70
5222	Christmas Gift	150.00	0.00	0.00	150.00
5223	Disability/Life Ins.	799.08	0.00	50.86	849.94
5224	Retirement	1,575.96	0.00	0.00	1,575.96
	Sub-Total	**$20,347.16**	**$0.00**	**$292.84**	**$20,640.00**
SUPPORT					
5230	Clerk	450.00	0.00	0.00	450.00
5231	Treasurer	625.00	0.00	0.00	625.00
5232	Temporary Secretarial	750.63	0.00	-50.63	700.00
5330	Associational Speakers	459.04	0.00	140.96	600.00
5331	Church Secretaries Association	163.07	0.00	-63.07	100.00
5332	Convention Expense	290.00	0.00	1,810.00	2,100.00
5333	Equipment	2,418.79	0.00	881.21	3,300.00
5340	Library/Media/Audio Visuals	217.08	0.00	282.92	500.00
5351	Historical Committee	0.00	0.00	100.00	100.00
5360	Newsletter	392.12	0.00	507.88	900.00
5361	Newsletter Postage	1,665.00	70.50	105.50	1,700.00

Acct. No.	Item	Disbursements YTD	Received YTD	Balance YTD	2001-2002 Budget
5362	Office Supplies	1,856.76	0.00	-356.76	1,500.00
5363	Office Postage	2,007.82	0.00	-207.82	1,800.00
5364	Printing of Minutes	712.92	0.00	987.08	1,700.00
5370	Telephone	1,308.77	34.32	-74.45	1,200.00
5384	Minister's Conference	431.31	0.00	68.69	500.00
	Sub-Total	**$13,748.31**	**$104.82**	**$4,131.51**	**$17,775.00**
TRAINING/EQUIPPING SUPPORT					
5401	Brotherhood	282.26	0.00	717.74	1000.00
5402	Discipleship Training	212.04	0.00	-12.04	200.00
5403	Evangelism	494.48	32.00	37.52	500.00
5404	Key Leadership Conference	110.39	0.00	189.61	300.00
5405	Music	0.00	0.00	200.00	200.00
5406	Sunday School	14.43	0.00	235.57	250.00
5407	Christian Life & Public Affairs	0.00	0.00	200.00	200.00
5408	Pastoral Ministries Committee	175.61	0.00	74.39	250.00
5409	Associational Program Committee	941.01	0.00	258.99	1200.00
5420	VBS	457.53	0.00	142.47	600.00
5430	WMU	529.96	0.00	120.04	650.00
5440	Youth	0.00	0.00	200.00	200.00
5450	Senior Adults	766.98	0.00	-166.98	600.00
5460	Single Adults	0.00	0.00	100.00	100.00
5470	Missions Development Council	0.00	0.00	200.00	200.00
	Sub-Total	**$3,984.69**	**$32.00**	**$2,497.31**	**$6,450.00**
ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICE SUPPORT					
5510	Insurance	1,220.25	0.00	79.75	1,300.00
5520	Maintenance	2,492.58	0.00	-492.58	2,000.00
5521	Custodial Services	400.00	0.00	150.00	550.00
5522	Office Yard Service	50.00	0.00	300.00	350.00
5530	Utilities	2,578.48	0.00	-78.48	2,500.00
5531	Office Equipment	3,136.37	0.00	-136.37	3,000.00
	Sub-Total	**$9,877.68**	**$0.00**	**($177.68)**	**$9,700.00**
OTHER SUPPORT					
5610	Miscellaneous	3,330.34	200.00	369.66	3,500.00
5620	Rollins-DOM Conf. Expense	150.00	0.00	0.00	150.00
	**Storage Building	8,874.04	696.02	6,821.98	15,000.00
	Sub-Total	**$12,354.38**	**$896.02**	**$7,191.64**	**$18,650.00**
	TOTALS	**$160,125.85**	**$4,870.15**	**$15,269.30**	**$170,525.00**
Adjustment for Taxes Payable		-64.67			
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS		**$160,190.52**			

**** Amount Approved for New Building at Spring Meeting**

LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, Thomasville North Carolina

BUDGET/DESIGNATED FUNDS ACTIVITY - SEPTEMBER 1, 2001 THRU AUGUST 31, 2002
REPORT ENDING DATE - AUGUST 31, 2002

Fund Accounts	Beginning Balance	Receipts Year-to-Date	Total Year-to-Date	Disbursements Year-to-Date	Fund Balance Year-to-Date
01 Assoc. Program/Budget	**$93,814.04**	**$152,122.02**	**$245,936.06**	**$160,190.52**	**$85,745.54**
02 Annual Minutes	347.00	270.00	617.00	617.00	$0.00
03 Youth Ministry	700.00	600.00	1,300.00	700.00	$600.00
04 Migrant Ministry	0.50	0.00	0.50	0.00	$0.50
05 DCCC Ministry	0	500.00	500.00	0.00	$500.00
06 Brotherhood Handyman	787.52	1,700.00	2,487.52	404.65	$2,082.87
08 Recovery Trailer	100.00	0.00	100.00	100.00	$0.00
10 Davidson Medical Ministry	100.00	0.00	100.00	100.00	$0.00
11 Evangelism	1,987.50	7,425.00	9,412.50	4,610.23	$4,802.27
12 South Africa Partnership	565.23	0.00	565.23	0.00	$565.23
12A-Church Planter	4,068.40	375.00	4,443.40	0.00	$4,443.40
13 Ch. Activity Ctr., E. St. Louis	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	$0.00
14 Domestic Violence	100.00	0.00	100.00	100.00	$0.00
15 New Work*	25,674.26	**17,557.83**	43,232.09	2,000.00	$41,232.09
16 Hispanic Missions	0.00	6,405.32	6,405.32	6,405.32	$0.00
22 Leisure Ministry BSCNC	1,434.56	999.96	2,434.52	0.00	$2,434.52
23 State Missions BSCNC	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	$0.00
25 Cambodian Missions	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	$0.00
26 Prison Seminary	776.50	2,096.88	2,873.38	1,526.50	$1,346.88
30 Toy Store Ministry	1,778.70	220.00	1,998.70	36.64	$1,962.06
31 Prisoner Gifts	1,200.00	3,507.99	4,707.99	2,720.95	$1,987.04
32 Literature Ministry	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	$0.00
35 Leonard Rollins Memorial	0.00	1,756.00	1,756.00	1,756.00	$0.00
36 Building Fund	16,053.92	4,907.88	20,961.80	20,961.80	$0.00
Designated Funds Total	**$55,674.09**	**$30,764.03**	**$103,995.95**	**$42,039.09**	**$61,956.86**

GRAND TOTALS	Beginning Balance	Receipts Year-to-Date	Total Year-to-Date	Disbursements Year-to-Date	Fund Balance Year-to-Date
ALL FUNDS	**$149,488.13**	**$200,443.88**	**$349,932.01**	**$202,229.61**	**$147,702.40**

RECAP

LSB Checking	$80,607.10
LBS Investors Account	67,095.30
TOTAL	**$147,702.40**

***Transfer from Budget Item**
The amount of $17,557.83 ($14,557.83 transferred from Budget Line Item 5122, plus $3,000 received from BSCNC), when deducted from the "Receipts Year-to-Date" figure equals the total contributions of $185,886.05.

CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED - SEPTEMBER 1, 2001 THRU AUGUST 31, 2002										
REPORT ENDING DATE: AUGUST 31, 2002										
	01	02	03	05	06	11	12A	15	16	22
Churches	Assoc.	Minutes	Youth	DCCC	Handy-	Evangelism	Church	New	Hispanic	Leisure
	Program			Ministry	man		Planter	Work	Mission	Ministry
Abbotts Creek	6,875.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Amity	640.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Carolina Mem	16,148.57	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cedar Lodge	1,500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Center Hill	1,200.00	45.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	75.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Central	751.53	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Churchland	1,200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Clearview	200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Coggins Mem	11,437.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	150.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Colonial	4,022.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Denton, 1st	4,089.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Faith	550.00	60.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Floyd	350.00	50.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Greenwood	2,500.00	25.00	0.00	0.00	1,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Hasty	455.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
High Rock	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Hillside Park	1,300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Holloways	2,449.62	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Jersey	4,500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Lakeview	439.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Lexington, 1st	7,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Liberty	3,446.07	60.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Lick Creek	275.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mills Home	166.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mountain View	1,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
New Friendship	6,797.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
North Lex	1,200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Oak Hill Mem	3,500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Oakhurst	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Park Place	8,021.97	30.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	450.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Reeds	10,466.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	400.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Rich Fork	6,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Smith Grove	2,250.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	600.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Southgate	5,902.86	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	150.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Southside	3,309.85	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Stoners Grove	1,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Summerville	2,996.59	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Thomasville, 1st	3,840.98	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Trinity	2,002.73	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Victory	420.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Wallburg	2,000.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Welcome, 1st	12,758.80	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	375.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Hisp Mision-T-vill	124.16	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Hisp Mision-Lex	392.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Others	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Baptist St.Conv.	0.00	0.00	600.00	500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,000.00	6,405.32	999.96
Interest	1,673.59	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Organizations	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Individuals	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Refunds	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
TOTALS	$147,251.87	$270.00	$600.00	$500.00	$1,700.00	$7,425.00	$375.00	$3,000.00	$6,405.32	$999.96

Churches	25 Camb. Mission	26 Prison Sem.	30 Toy Store	31 Prisoner Gifts	32 Literature Dist.	35 Rollins Memorial	36 Building Fund	Refunds	All Income
Abbotts Creek	0.00	0.00	0.00	272.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	200.00	7,647.00
Amity	0.00	0.00	0.00	85.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	54.00	1,079.00
Carolina Mem	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	118.00	100.00	16,766.57
Cedar Lodge	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,800.00
Center Hill	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	500.00	0.00	0.00	1,920.00
Central	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,051.53
Churchland	0.00	0.00	0.00	63.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,263.00
Clearview	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	200.00
Coggins Mem	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	11.00	0.00	72.00	11,970.00
Colonial	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,322.00
Denton, 1st	0.00	0.00	0.00	200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,589.00
Faith	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,010.00
Floyd	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	400.00
Greenwood	0.00	0.00	0.00	140.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,665.30
Hasty	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	455.00
High Rock	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00
Hillside Park	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,300.00
Holloways	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	50.00	100.00	0.00	2,899.62
Jersey	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00	0.00	0.00	4,825.00
Lakeview	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	739.70
Lexington, 1st	0.00	0.00	0.00	140.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	7,140.00
Liberty	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,806.07
Lick Creek	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	275.00
Mills Home	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	166.00
Mountain Viev	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	34.50	1,034.50
New Friendshi	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	7,097.75
North Lex	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00
Oak Hill Mem	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,800.00
Oakhurst	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Park Place	0.00	0.00	0.00	150.00	0.00	300.00	110.00	0.00	9,061.97
Reeds	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	618.00	11,884.06
Rich Fork	0.00	0.00	0.00	50.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	6,050.00
Smith Grove	0.00	0.00	0.00	30.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,880.00
Southgate	0.00	0.00	20.00	80.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	6,152.86
Southside	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,309.85
Stoners Grove	0.00	0.00	200.00	200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,700.00
Summerville	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,996.59
Thomasville, 1	0.00	0.00	0.00	30.00	0.00	0.00	396.02	20.00	4,587.00
Trinity	0.00	0.00	0.00	144.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,446.73
Victory	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	420.00
Wallburg	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	50.00	25.00	0.00	2,375.04
Welcome, 1st	0.00	0.00	0.00	298.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	13,431.85
Mision Baut H	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	124.16
Mision Baut H	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	392.00
Others	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Baptist St.Con	0.00	1,975.88	0.00	1,166.64	0.00	0.00	4,659.88	1,199.96	20,507.64
Interest	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,673.59
Organizations	0.00	23.00	0.00	30.00	0.00	35.00	0.00	422.35	510.35
Individuals	0.00	98.00	0.00	129.00	0.00	685.00	195.00	1,436.52	2,543.52
Refunds	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	16.80	16.80
TOTALS	**$0.00**	**$2,096.88**	**$220.00**	**$3,507.99**	**$0.00**	**$1,756.00**	**$5,603.90**	**$4,174.13**	**$185,886.05**

MEMORIALS - LISTING OF DECEASED CHURCH MEMBERS

September 1, 2001 through August 31, 2002

"Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints." Psalm 116:15

Abbotts Creek
Mrs. Iris Beeson
Mrs. Edna M. Berrier
Mr. Stanton Bodenheimer
Mrs. Della Davis
Mr. Charles Green
Mr. Clyde Green
Mr. James Hedgecock
Mrs. Hester Idol
Mrs. Joyce A. Wyre

Amity
Mr. Robert Goins

Carolina Memorial
Mr. Johnny Banton
Mrs. Mabel Gantt
Mrs. Ernestine Grimes
Mrs. Sandra Guffey
Mr. Ronald Snider

Cedar Lodge
Mrs. Thelma Howard
Mr. Homer Rothrock

Center Hill
Mr. Raymond Courley
Mr. Clarence Davis
Mr. Joe McCarn
Mrs. Linda Ollis
Mrs. Kathrine Owen

Churchland
Mrs. Ruth Barnes
Mrs. Kathleen Beane
Mr. Mosell Beane
Mr. Bubba Beck
Mrs. Louise Griggs
Mr. Russ Griggs
Mrs. Lorene Swicegood

Clearview
Mr. Charles Beck

Coggins Memorial
Mrs. Louise Brown
Mrs. Shirley Burch
Mrs. Hazel Byrd
Miss Brandi Harris
Mr. Robert Hunt
Mr. Johnny Leonard
Mrs. Nell Williams
Mrs. Evelyn Woodall

Denton, First
Mr. Lewis Andrews
Mr. Carl Buie
Mrs. Grover Buie
Mr. Sherrill L. Garris, Deacon
Mrs. Valena V. Lanier
Mrs. Edith Morris
Rev. C. W. Pierce
Hiram H. Ward, Deacon

Greenwood
Mrs. Grace Bass
Mr. Bill Baugh
Mrs. Belle Cranford
Mr. Charles Craver
Mrs. Dot Goodrich

High Rock
Mrs. Myrtle Davis

Hillside Park
Mrs. Essie Adams
Mrs. Janie Lilly
Mr. Archie Louie

Holloways
Mr. William Martin
Mr. Buddy Wilson

Jersey
Mrs. Martha Carr
Mr. Martin Conner
Mr. Austin Coppley
Mr. Oscar Coppley
Mrs. Bertie Eudy
Mrs. Peggy Glenn
Mrs. Martha Koonts
Mrs. Blanche Logue
Mrs. Lucy Sharpe
Mr. Bob Steed

Lakeview
Mrs. Ada Dennis
Mrs. Inez Gordon
Mrs. Effie Holbrook
Mrs. Myrtle Leonard

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Mr. Beamer H. Barnes
Mr. M. T. Brown
Mrs. Maude B. Everhart
Mrs. Mary Sue Fullbright
Mrs. Bertha Jackson
Mrs. Pearl Kearns
Mr. Ben Kidney
Mrs. Maria Kirkman
Mrs. Oriana G. Link
Mrs. Brenda Smith Lopp
Mrs. Grady McCoy
Mrs. Madge Harris Michael
Mrs. Gertrude S. Myers

Rev. Leonard Rollins
Mrs. Kay Saintsing
Mrs. Virtle Cooper Welch
Rev. T. C. Williams

Liberty
Mr. Fred Foster
Mr. Carl Hunt, Deacon
Mr. Max Hughes
Mrs. Callie Luther
Mr. Bill Wray
Mr. John York

Lick Creek
Mr. Jeff Buie
Mr. Ralph Ours

New Friendship
Mr. Leroy Farmer
Mr. Zeb West
Mrs. Ada Wilson

North Lexington
Mrs. Nora Lee Curry
Mrs. Vada Ree Dodson
Mrs. Eva Fritts
Mr. James Harmon
Mrs. Cynthia Holsonback
Mrs. Amanda McBride
Mr. Hilbreand Morgan
Mrs. Leona Snider
Mr. Ronald Stephens

Oak Hill Memorial
Mr. Terry Coward
Mrs. Edna Sharp
Mrs. Mae Snider
Mr. Henry Wray

Park Place
Mrs. Pat Boyd
Mrs. Dora Byerly
Mrs. Evelyn Everhart
Mrs. Dot King
Mr. John Parsons

Reeds
Mr. Norman Beck
Mrs. Mary Littler
Mrs. Robbie Massey
Mr. Dick Myers
Mrs. Doris Sink

Rich Fork
Mrs. Norma Bryant
Mr. Tyrone Bullard
Ms. Mary Lou Ellis
Mrs. Pauline Howie
Mr. Ray Scarlette
Mr. Claude Swing
Mr. Hoyle Tate
Rev. George Williamson
Mrs. Virginia Yokley

Smith Grove
Mr. Robert Barnes
Mr. Robert Clement
Mr. Roger Norris, Deacon
Mrs. Herman Orrell
Mrs. Donna Travis
Mr. Eugene Walser

Southgate
Mr. Paul Lowman
Mrs. Betty Norris
Mrs. Haver Riggs
Mr. Robert Waterhouse

Southside
Mrs. Anno Byerly
Mr. Boyce Clodfelter
Mr. Coyce Clodfelter
Mrs. Jewel England
Mr. Robert Pierce, Deacon
Mrs. Marie Gailey Simmons

Stoner's Grove
Mrs. Sadie Dunning
Mrs. Annie Mae Fine
Mr. Johnny Warfford

Summerville
Mr. Tom Best
Mr. Leo Buie
Mr. Kim Carrick
Mr. Martin Clodfelter
Mrs. Thelma Daniels

Thomasville, First
Mr. L. E. Abbott
Mrs. Blanche Godfrey
Mrs. Mae Holton (non-resident)
Mrs. Luttie Hooker
Mr. Tom E. Lambeth (non-resident)
Mr. H. E. Madison
Mrs. Doris Thompson

Trinity
Mrs. Connie S. Craver

Victory
Mrs. Ruth Jollie
Mrs. Denise Magee

Wallburg
Miss Alverta Reece
Mrs. Bessie Mae Reid
Mr. John Young

Welcome, First
Mr. Jim Kiger
Mr. Charlie Nolan
Mr. Steve Prouty
Mr. R. L. Young

MISSIONS DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE REPORT

A new mission, Mision Bautista Hispana Mission, was begun in Lexington and they made request to be accepted under watchcare of the association. This mission is sponsored by Coggins Memorial Baptist Church and First Baptist Church of Lexington. J. J. Rodriquez is the lay leader. They began meeting on February 3, 2002 and at Coggins Memorial Baptist Church The motion was presented from the Missions Development Committee at the quarterly meeting on April 8, 2002 to accept the mission under watchcare and was approved by the messengers.

A motion was made from the Missions Development Committee at the quarterly meeting on April 8, 2002 that the building being erected behind the associational office should be named The Leonard and Polly Rollins Missions Center. This motion was approved unanimously.

North Lexington Baptist Church is sponsoring a new work south of Winston-Salem. They have been given the opportunity to use the VFW building at a very nominal fee. Funds are being received from the Baptist State Convention of NC to supplement this ministry.

At the meeting held on September 26, 2002, a request was received from Antioch Baptist Church, Lexington, to become a member of Liberty Baptist Association. This motion will be presented for consideration at the Annual Meeting on October 7, 2002.

Respectfully submitted,
Gary Myers, 2001-2002 Chairman

SEAMEN'S CENTER

North Carolina State Port Authority
Morehead City, North Carolina 38557
(252) 726-5586 - 726-6635 - 726-2461
Bill Loftin - President
Board of Directors

Director of Ministry
T. L. Lee
119 Vashti Drive
Morehead City NC 28557
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There are few, if any, areas of our lives that have not been affected by the momentous events of 2001. The ministry to seamen enjoys no exception. the downturn in the worldwide economy has resulted in a tremendous decrease in the ship loads (36-40 thousand tons each) of wood chips exported for Morehead City to Japan. In addition, the worldwide export of fertilizer products has also been drastically curtailed. These two products comprise the great bulk of exports from this tiny port and this loss means fewer seafarers to whom our mission can minister.

It also means loss of jobs among the port employee family. Fortunately, our import dockings have been greatly helped by the addition of scrap steel for North Carolina manufacture and the acquisition of a large shipping line bringing rubber from Indonesia.

Two ships from this line docked recently, but their crews had no shore passes since the first U.S. port they touched on the voyage was New York City. As an aftermath of 911 their shore passes were denied for security reasons and the cancellation applied to all subsequent dockings at U.S. ports. Initial dockings at other U.S. ports do not necessarily face the same problems.

Fortunately these restrictions do not prohibit our shipboard visitation with the crews, or supplying them with "CARE" packages containing such items as magazines, cookies, Gospel tapes or Bibles. We can also arrange shipboard worship services if demand and time allows.

In spite of such adverse circumstances, however, the ministry continues do function. In 2001 our Center contacts were over 3200; we recorded the distribution of 172 Bibles; and share several hundred Gospel tapes with seamen as well as scores of truckers who are in and out of the port. We estimate ship visitations of 100 or more.

In that connection the Harbor Pilots assumed the responsibility of distributing information leaflets about the Seamen's Center Ministry to the ships during November and into mid-December. The Director of Ministry was out for hip replacement surgery and recuperation and could not negotiate the vessel gangways. Thanks to Capt. Andrew Midgett, pilots Andy Midgett and Bill Bailey, the Assistant Director of Ministry, and the dedicated volunteers, the ministry proceeded uninterrupted.

The Center van made 50 or more trips to and from the shopping centers with seamen. An estimated 2000 or more calls were made on Center phones. Hundreds of Gospel tracts, devotional pieces, and magazines were shared with seamen along with the usual snack items and coffee.

During the 2001 Christmas season we distributed about 150 gift packages to ship's crews, thanks to the churches of Atlantic Baptist Association, other churches, individuals, and groups who helped with this outreach. Sharing the joys of Christmas with the seafarers so far from home and family has been an important facet of this ministry for many years.

This Seamen's Ministry has been, from the beginning in 1971 - thirty years in 2001 - a partnership involving staff, Center volunteers, higher church courts and associations, and interested individuals. Every aspect has been undergirded by God's people who share a vision of making the Gospel of Christ and the love of His caring servants available to the seafaring strangers who come into our midst. Your continued interest, support, and prayers are essential to its health and usefulness. The "entertainment of strangers" is a blessed undertaking.

Shalom!
Lenwood Lee, Director of Ministry

FOUNDED 1971-AN ECUMENICAL MINISTRY TO INTERNATIONAL SEAFARERS
CHARTERED BY STATE OF N.C. - APPROVED BY I.R.S. FOR TAX DEDUCTIBLE DONATIONS

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT

What a wonderful summer we had for our Vacation Bible Schools. I want to thank everyone that participated in one way or another because without your hard work, the Bible Schools wouldn't be successful.

A total of 232 workers from 28 of our churches participated in our Early Planning Clinic, as well as our Vacation Bible School Planning Clinic. A total of 37 churches from Liberty Baptist Association offered a Vacation Bible School this year to their communities. The total as reported by our churches this year is 5065, and 119 professions of faith.

Thank you for making Vacation Bible School an important part of your church ministry. More baptisms come through VBS than any other outreach we offer. Begin planning for your school to be the best nest year.

I want to also thank the workers who volunteered their time in teaching at the clinics. They put in hours of time preparing for us to learn about our VBS materials, which enabled us to have a successful VBS. Thank you for allowing me to serve as the Associational VBS Director this year.

Respectfully submitted,
Tim Landreth, Associational VBS Director

WMU LEADERSHIP TEAM

May 1, 2002 - April 30, 2003

Janet Sharpe (North Lexington), WMU Director ..... 209 Reich St.
Lexington 27292; 336/249-8008

Betsy Leach (Abbotts Creek), Asst. WMU Director ..... 313 Cedarwood Trl.
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Linda Spoon (Summerville) Secretary/Treasurer ..... 273 Newsome Ln.
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WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION REPORT

The WMU Leadership Training was held at North Lexington Baptist Church on August 26, 2002, and a goodly number came to participate.

I would like to encourage everyone to attend the *"On Mission Celebration"* (formerly World Mission Conference). If your church is not one of those participating churches, plan to attend one of the surrounding churches which are hosting the speakers. It is a wonderful experience to hear about the work and the testimonies of these missionaries. The dates are October 27-30, 2002.

Please make April 12, 2003, on your calendar. We will have Sandy Harrison coming to lead a prayer retreat at First Baptist Church, Denton, from 10:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. More information will be sent to WMU leaders later.

May we do our best for the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering. We live in dangerous times and the need is great for God's Word.

Janet Sharpe
Associational WMU Director

BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION OF NC REPORTS

2002 ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

The Annuity Office of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina continues to enjoy a close working relationship with the Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist convention in providing services related to retirement planning, financial support of ministers and other church employees, life and health insurance, church/clergy tax issues, and ministry to retirees and seminary/divinity students.

Despite national and international market volatility, national grief, and a wartime political climate during this past year new opportunities and services were launched in an ongoing effort to fulfill the guiding principle of *Serving Those Who Serve the Lord.* To te specific, all the investments funds were successfully restructured to a registered mutual find environment, call AB Fund Trust. As a result, new retail investment products, under the theme "New Investment Opportunities...*Absolutely!,*" were introduced. For the first time ministers, church employees, and annuitants may now open IRA and Personal Investment Accounts. With the passage of the Economic Growth and Tax Reconciliation Act (EGTRRA) retirement options have been enhanced dramatically including the ability to roll over other retirement funds from a secular employer.

Furthermore, new medical and disability insurance products were rolled out with the commitment to provide several options to meet increasingly different needs of our populace. Endorsed carriers, such as long-term care and property/casualty, continued to attract interest from our churches and church employees.

The Endowment and Relief Ministry was restructured to provide enhanced financial assistance to the needy, retired ministers and their widows. Funds available to assist these persons increased as well as the number of people who applied for this assistance.

The 2002 SBC Compensation Study with 35 state conventions participating has been conducted and the results are now accessible on the Internet. For the first time church leaders are now able to do a customized study on the web. We are very excited about this useful tool as one valuable resource in assisting church leaders as they study to determine what is a fair and equitable compensation for those who serve the Lord in our churches.

As of June 30, 2002, 61% (2,314) of our NC churches are actively participating in the retirement plan. A record number of 2,851 were receiving benefits and 388 being assisted through the Adopt An Annuitant ministry.

In closing, we remain committed to serve all of our churches, ministers, and other church employees. For more information related to products or services, call the Baptist State Convention of NC at 1.800.395.5102 extension 174, visit our Web site at www.bscnc.org or call the Annuity Board at 1.800.262.0511, or visit the Annuity Board Web site at www.absbc.org.

Johnny E. Ross
Senior Consultant
Annuity

Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina

Jason and Lacey know real hope after facing hopeless times. Jason and Lacey lived with their mother in Hilo, Hawaii. It sounds wonderful, but for the brother and sister it was far from paradise. Their mother's lifestyle constantly placed the two children in danger. Jason was given the blame by his mother for many of the things that had gone wrong in her life.

"She didn't care about anything," Jason recalls now. "I was just there. She didn't care for me."

Jason drew violent pictures. He had difficulty relating to people and was diagnosed with attention deficit disorder. Soon his secrets were exposed. He had suffered severe physical and emotional abuse by his mother. Drugs had been a pervasive part of his life. He had begun using drugs when he was six years old.

Once Jason's grandparents discovered the truth about Jason's life, they sought immediate help for their grandson and found the help they desperately needed from Baptist Children's Homes. In August 1996, he began his new life at Broyhill Home in Clyde.

Lacey still lived with her mother. The two moved to Arizona. Lacey spent her days in the cab of her mother's boyfriend's semi-truck. She was not attending school. After Jason left, Lacey became the focus of her mother's abuse.

Again, the siblings' grandparents intervened. The couple began to think about bringing Lacey to live at Broyhill Home. In 1997, 14 months after Jason, she was safe. Lacey and Jason's grandparents credit Baptist Children's Homes for giving their grandchildren real hope.

Lacey says she plans to be a lawyer. She likes fighting for the underdog. Jason has plans for a career in broadcast journalism. Since coming to Broyhill Home, both children have accepted Christ as their Savior.

"Things began to turn around for me when I became a Christian. I began to read my Bible," Jason says. "I learned a lot of the answers to my questions. I felt like I could be more open."

"Jason might be in an institution, in prison or dead. We try not to even think of what Lacey's life would be like today," the grandparents say. "They've been saved!"

Jason and Lacey are two of the 1,855 children cared for by BCH last year.

Baptist Children's Homes grieves with Nation after September 11th attack – BCH president calls for acts of kindness. In the wake of the tragic events of September 11, BCH president Dr. Michael C. Blackwell stepped to the forefront to calm and encourage children and families. As the nation reeled from the attack, Blackwell immediately offered words of comfort to families through news media from Louisiana, Arizona, Alabama and across North Carolina. He urged Americans to "show kindness" to one another and exhibit "acts of goodness" toward their communities in response to the violence exhibited against our country. BCH children and staff united to provide needed items for those serving at Ground Zero and gave blood for the victims. Despite the physical and emotional effects of September 11, BCH's mission has remained unwavering. "America's spirit has not been lost, and our spirit of helping and healing is stronger than ever," said Blackwell.

BCH faces financial shortfalls due to 9/11, North Carolina Baptists rise to meet financial challenges. As charities across America began to feel the financial effects of 9/11, Baptist Children's Homes also faced shortfalls. Experiencing nearly a 60 percent drop in annual fund giving, President Michael C. Blackwell made an urgent plea to friends and supporters. After an intense effort including personal letters and phone calls, North Carolina Baptists responded, rallying to close the gap by year-end. "I knew North Carolina Baptists would not forget their children," said Blackwell. North Carolina Baptists also stepped forward by meeting the 2001 Thanksgiving Offering Goal. Today, the effects of 9/11 are still being felt. "It is important for North Carolina Baptists to not grow weary in their efforts to help our boys and girls," said Blackwell. "Our churches are our lifeline. It is because of them we are able to touch the lives of so many."

New BCH strategic plan unveiled. *Quest: A Journey of Excellence* is the title of the new strategic plan that will guide Baptist Children's Homes through 2004. The major goals of the new plan include recruiting and retaining competent qualified staff; training staff; and maintaining and enhancing BCH facilities.

BCH Trustees approve allocation for Information Technology. Trustees made way for sweeping technological improvements throughout BCH. A new Information Technology Center was created and work began to connect all ministry sites digitally. "Every step we take is designed to enable us to better serve children and families... today and in the future," said Dr. Michael C. Blackwell.

Gastonia couple honored at Nolen Building dedication. William "Red" and Mabel Nolen were recognized for their contribution at the dedication of the newly renovated and renamed Nolen Administration building at Mills Home on January 22, 2002. A gift from the Gastonia couple, who have long-time ties to BCH, made the necessary renovations possible.

BCH's Developmental Disabilities Ministry dedicates two new group homes. More than 200 Baptist leaders, Baptist Children's Homes administrators, staff, and guests were in attendance for the historic dedication of BCH's first, new group homes for developmentally disabled adults on March 26, 2002. The two homes, Davis House and Hinkle House, joined Baptist House at Bethabara located in Winston-Salem. Plans to break ground on the next DDM group home to be located in Sanford are scheduled for 2003. Baptist State Convention President Dr. Jerry Pereira, who spoke at the dedication, predicted "the Lord is going to do great and mighty things" through this ministry.

***A Place for Miracles* published.** In March 2002, BCH president Michael C. Blackwell introduced his second book. More than three years in the making, *A Place for Miracles* is a mixture of history, autobiography, inspiration, and vision. The book received the 2002 Baptist Communicators Association Design Award for Best Book Design.

***New Millennium Families: A Study Guide* introduced to North Carolina Baptists.** In September 2001, the study guide to BCH president Michael C. Blackwell's book *New Millennium Families* was introduced at the first of two statewide Deacon-Spouse Training Events in Bryson City. A total of more than 200 deacons and their spouses attended the two conferences. Blackwell and study guide creator Gaylin Huff led group sessions regarding the changing make-up of families as discussed in the book and its effects on the church in North Carolina. *A Study Guide,* to be used with *New Millennium Families*, helps teachers prepare for and guide groups of adults using four different formats: 7 Week Study, Youth Parent Study, Single Parent Study, and Family Ministry Study.

Baptists called to join "Chain of Prayer" for North Carolina's children and families. BCH president Michael C. Blackwell has asked for all North Carolina Baptists to participate in the "Chain of Prayer." Begun in February 2002 at the annual Baptist Men's conference in Charlotte, this physical chain is made up of thin strips of paper containing the handwritten prayers of NC Baptist men, women and children. Throughout the year, these strips are being gathered by BCH representatives and formed together into a chain that will be displayed at this year's Baptist State Convention in November. With children and families facing many different sources of crisis in today's world, Dr. Blackwell believes this statewide unification of prayers for children and families in our state will yield great results.

The support of North Carolina Baptists through the Thanksgiving Offering, Cooperative Program, church and individual gifts, memorials, honors, and estate gifts enables us to fulfill our mission statement – "helping hurting children....healing broken families" – through 14 locations throughout the state. **Thank you, North Carolina Baptists, for your continued prayers and support.**

Michael C. Blackwell, president
Sybil Stewart, board of trustees chair
Fall 2002

BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES
OF NORTH CAROLINA, INCORPORATED
PROUDLY SERVING OLDER ADULTS SINCE 1941

The generous support received from North Carolina Baptists has enabled Baptist Retirement Homes to lead the state in providing benevolent care for Older Adults who lack sufficient financial resources to pay for the quality care they deserve. At all Homes communities, residents rest in the knowledge that they will be cared for as long as they live.

Baptist Retirement Homes continues to be on the cutting edge of meeting the needs of Older Adults ... particularly those dealing with dementia-related conditions, such as Alzheimer's Disease.

In recent years, the Homes has established specially designed residences to meet the special needs of these dear ones. The Fowler Memory Enhanced Residence at the Western North Carolina Baptist Home in Asheville has been operational since 2000; the Kulynych Memory Enhanced Residence opened at the Brookridge Retirement Community in Winston-Salem in 2001; later this year, a third residence will open at the Homes' newest community, The Gardens of Taylor Glen, in Concord.

Thank you North Carolina Baptists, for helping us make life for the Older Adults of this state ... "the Best of Times!"

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Baptist Retirement Homes of North Carolina, Inc.
Winston-Salem • 336-725-0202 • www.brh.org

The Baptist Elder Care Network — Simple Answers • 1.800.887.7410

A statewide system of resource counselors answering questions related to the needs of aging persons — A free service provided by Baptist Retirement Homes

Biblical Recorder

2002 Associational Report

The world is changing rapidly, and Baptists are changing right along with it. Gone are the days of a simple denominational life or a single way to be Baptist. Never has it been more important for North Carolina Baptists to be informed of the many issues affecting Baptist life, mission work and mutual cooperation.

The *Biblical Recorder* exists to provide this needed service to Baptists in North Carolina and beyond. The *Recorder* staff works diligently to comb through many sources of information and distill them into a trustworthy resource that offers regular, dependable and balanced news coverage and analysis of the most significant matters relating to Baptist life. In addition, the *Biblical Recorder* includes a variety of supportive resources and feature articles designed to encourage and inspire as well as to inform.

The *Biblical Recorder's* strategic role in promoting God's kingdom work through North Carolina Baptists grows from its mission statement: ***"to further Christ's kingdom by providing relevant news, insightful opinions and supportive resources to North Carolina Baptists in a timely and accessible fashion."***

As the official news journal of the BSCNC, the *Biblical Recorder* has functioned faithfully since its establishment in 1833 by Thomas Meredith. The *Recorder* was privately owned and operated in support of Baptist work in North Carolina until 1938, when the paper was purchased by the Baptist State Convention and incorporated as an agency of the convention.

The *Biblical Recorder* is widely acknowledged to be in the top echelon of state Baptist papers, winning national honors from the Baptist Communicator's Association for news and editorial writing in 2000, and taking the association's top prize for news writing in 2001.

The *Biblical Recorder* offers a special service that makes it possible for churches to combine a regular newsletter and the *Biblical Recorder* in a single package, offering significant financial savings.

In addition to its printed form, the *Biblical Recorder* maintains a popular presence on the World Wide Web at www.biblicalrecorder.org. This Web site offers Internet users an opportunity to read much of each paper's content online, as well as to access classified ads, online Bible study resources and a news/weather portal. Thousands of interested readers around the world consult the online version regularly.

As a BSCNC agency, the *Biblical Recorder* receives annual support from Cooperative Program gifts, making it possible to offer the *Recorder* at very affordable subscription rates. Subscription packets and free sample issues are available. For more information, please contact:

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"Shaping Lives for... a Life" is the mission of North Carolina Baptist colleges and universities.

Students come to the campuses of Campbell, Chowan, Gardner-Webb, Mars Hill and Wingate expecting to receive an education. What they may not expect is an experience that will shape the rest of their lives.

Like the artist who carefully and methodically sculpts wet clay, giving it form and function, the faculty and staff of North Carolina Baptist colleges and universities shape the lives of students through their dedicated teaching and mentoring.

The graduates of these campuses emerge as people who become our future ministers, doctors, lawyers, artists, teachers, businesspeople, and church and community leaders.

It has been shown that graduates of church related institutions invest themselves in their churches and communities in greater numbers than graduates of public institutions of higher education. As a result of the support of North Carolina Baptists, the future looks bright for our churches and communities.

Gifts to the Cooperative Missions Budget of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina last year made it possible for six hundred twelve (612) members from four hundred forty-five (445) convention related churches to receive special scholarship assistance to attend our five affiliated institutions of Christian higher education. Seventy-four (74) out of eighty (80) associations were represented in this group.

Some of the recipients would not have been able to pursue their dream of a degree from an accredited college or university without the financial assistance provided by generous North Carolina Baptists. One of those recipients lost his father unexpectedly during his freshman year in college. Scholarship assistance from North Carolina Baptists made it possible for him to continue with his studies. He graduated this year.

Another scholarship recipient is the mother of six children. In spite of the pressures to be a good mother, she pursued her studies while holding down a full-time job. She, too, graduated this year with a perfect 4.0 grade point average. She is employed by a North Carolina Baptist institution.

These are a few of those who are benefiting from your generous support of our Baptist State Convention. In the coming years, we will benefit from their contributions to our life as North Carolina Baptists.

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THE NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST FOUNDATION, INC.
2001 ANNUAL REPORT

The mission of the North Carolina Baptist Foundation since its inception in 1920 has been to assist the Convention and its institutions and agencies in increasing an awareness among North Carolina Baptists of Christian estate stewardship principles as a means of financially undergirding churches, institutions and mission endeavors on a permanent basis. The uniqueness of the ministries and services provided by the institutions and General Board staff merits increased financial support. The Foundation accomplishes these objectives by offering assistance in estate planning counsel, Will preparation, planned giving, charitable remainder trusts, endowment funds and church fund management.

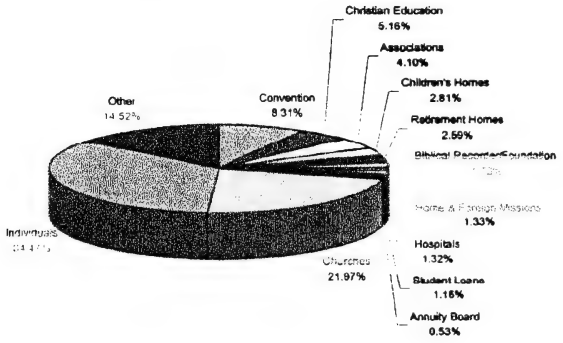
During 2001, the Foundation assisted individuals in establishing 33 endowment funds and 8 charitable remainder trusts totaling $4.8 million and received $9.4 million in contributions to existing endowments all of which will ultimately benefit countless Baptist causes on a permanent basis. Programs were provided for 162 churches and associations during the year to promote Make Your Will Month, Christian estate stewardship, and church fund management. Over $2.3 million from churches and institutions came under management to enhance numerous ministries including scholarships, building funds, cemetery funds, benevolence funds, general operating funds and other various mission causes. With a total of $16.5 million in contributions, it was the best year ever eclipsing the previous high of $10.1 million recorded in 2000.

The Foundation employs professional money managers to invest these funds according to an investment policy adopted by its Board. Four investment pools are offered: a growth fund, a balanced fund, an income fund and a fixed income fund. The Foundation uses the services of Salomon Smith Barney to help select top money managers and evaluate performance. As of December 31, 2001, the Foundation held $106.8 million under management. This is an increase of more than $9.4 million over 2000.

During 2001, our distributions totaled $6.7 million, with charity receiving $4.4 million and individuals, through trusts, receiving $2.3 million. During the 82-year history of The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc., $20.8 million has been distributed to individuals and $36.8 million to Baptist churches, institutions and mission causes for a grand historical total of $57.6 million.

Harold G. Koger, Chair, Board of Directors
M. Clay Warf, Executive Director

2001 DISTRIBUTIONS



Meeting the Challenges of Health Care

2002 *Report to the Associations*

"Touching Lives With Hope"

BAPTIST HOSPITAL AND NORTH CAROLINA BAPTISTS: PARTNERS IN MISSIONS

The Baptist Hospital mission began in 1921 when our North Carolina Baptist founders stated, "We desire to build a hospital to bring the healing art more definitely under the dominion of the Great Healer." Gold crosses that adorn the exterior of the hospital symbolize our historic and daily commitment to bring medical excellence and Christian compassion to those we are privileged to serve. This report will highlight our partnership with North Carolina Baptists in continuing the mission of healing.

SCHOOL OF PASTORAL CARE

Our mission at the School of Pastoral Care is ***"to provide ministries of growth, hope, and healing in the Spirit of Christ."*** This defines the spiritual essence of who we are and the meaning of what we do in caring for hurting people. We are very thankful to North Carolina Baptists for their gifts to the School through the Cooperative Missions Program. You are making a tremendous difference as our partner in life-changing ministries.

CareNet, Inc., our Department of Pastoral Counseling, is the largest faith-based counseling system in the nation. We continue to expand our services across North Carolina. The scope of this ministry is astounding: 27,000 hours of counseling per year at 21 locations. These include 4 regional centers (Winston-Salem, Greenville, Fayetteville, and Wilmington) and 17 strategically located satellites. The individual stories of emotional and spiritual healing, of broken families being restored, are even more telling.

The Center for Congregational Health celebrates its 10th Anniversary in 2002. Dr. David Odom has been the Center's visionary leader from its beginning. The initial mission continues to guide this ministry of helping churches become healthier communities of faith. The Center is providing consultation to approximately 25 churches per month, and training to over 600 church leaders per year. The financial support of N.C. Baptists allows Baptist churches to receive initial consultation at no cost, and provides subsidies for churches and ministers needing financial assistance. Please call the Center for more information (336-716-0459).

The Department of Chaplaincy and Pastoral Education provided ministry through more than 61,000 pastoral contacts in the past year. Every day chaplains can be found comforting bereaved families, praying for seriously ill patients, reading Scriptures to those who are afraid, offering comfort and extending hope in the name of Jesus Christ. Fifty-three students received supervision and training in 2001.

The Department of Church and Community Relations continues to serve its mission as a liaison between the Hospital and North Carolina Baptist churches. We welcome you to call Rev. Paul Mullen if you need assistance (336-716-3027). Many pastors call on behalf of church members who need a referral to the Medical Center or have concerns about medical bills because of financial need. Speakers can be requested to provide an overview of the Hospital and its ministries to church groups.

BAPTIST BENEVOLENT CARE FUND

It is a difficult burden to be physically sick and worried about how to pay for needed medical care. North Carolina Baptists extend the compassionate reach of missions to patients in financial need at Baptist Hospital through their gifts to the Mother's Day Offering. Those you have helped are deeply thankful for this gracious witness to the love of Jesus Christ, and they are drawn closer to Him. All of the funds are used for this purpose. **Thank you,** North Carolina Baptists, for giving $568,808 to this ministry in 2001!

ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS AT NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOSPITAL

Number 1 in Patient Satisfaction - Baptist Hospital was ranked #1 in the nation in patient satisfaction, according to Press Ganey patient satisfaction scores for the spring quarter of 2002. Press Ganey, the health care industry's top satisfaction measurement firm, ranked Baptist Hospital first among its peers.

New Brenner Children's Hospital Opens - The 11-story addition to the Hospital opened in April 2002. Six of the floors provide private rooms for all pediatric patients, state-of-the-art technology, family resource centers, a prayer room, and an enclosed playground on the roof. The tower also includes additional operating rooms and a spacious surgical family waiting room.

New Substance Abuse Treatment Center for Older Adults - Wake Forest University Baptist Behavioral Health, a subsidiary of Baptist Hospital and WFU Health Sciences, has opened the first residential program in the region devoted exclusively to treating chemical dependency problems among adults 55 and older. The comprehensive treatment program focuses on treating the whole person, encompassing physical, emotional, social, and spiritual health.

Ranked Among the Nation's Best - The North Carolina Baptist Hospitals, Inc. ranks among "America's Best Hospitals" according to the July 2002 issue of *U.S. News and World Report.*

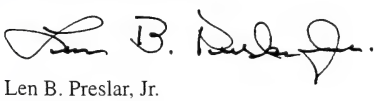
WFUBMC: What's in a Name? The North Carolina Baptist Hospitals, Inc. is one of two component institutions of Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center. The partnership also includes Wake Forest University Health Sciences (WFUHS), consisting of WFU Physicians, the School of Medicine, and other entities. Baptist Hospital and WFUHS are separate but interdependent institutions, each with its own Board of Trustees. The combined institutions,WFUBMC, are overseen by a joint Board of Trustees which facilitates the effective and collaborative pursuit of its mission: excellent patient care, medical education and research, and community service.

Information and Appointments - For more information on health related issues or to make an appointment with a physician, contact HEALTH-ON-CALL at 1-800-446-2255 or 336-716-2255.

CLOSING WORDS FROM THE PRESIDENT

We at Baptist Hospital are very thankful to be partners in the mission of healing with North Carolina Baptists. Our roots are in this partnership, beginning as a mission enterprise of the Baptist State Convention in 1921. This report also highlights the ongoing nature of the relationship with the School of Pastoral Care. We have a sacred privilege and responsibility to serve Jesus Christ by serving people in need at Baptist Hospital. We thank you for being our partner in these "ministries of growth, hope, and healing." We ask that you pray for our patients, their families, and our staff as we seek to serve our Lord each day at the Medical Center.

Respectfully submitted,



Len B. Preslar, Jr.
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The North Carolina Baptist Hospitals, Incorporated

OTHER REPORTS

CHRISTIAN ACTION LEAGUE OF NORTH CAROLINA

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It is a joy for the Christian Action League of North Carolina to serve the churches of this great state. We continue to work to inform the Christian community about the moral issues that face our state and nation. Our goal is to address these issues with the principles of God's Word, the cornerstone of all truth.

A. Christian Values

CAL has continued to promote and distribute copies of the Ten Commandments throughout North Carolina. Over 18,000 have been distributed state-wide.

The Executive Director of the Christian Action League has written numerous editorials that have appeared in major newspapers across the state; two have appeared in the Raleigh *News and Observer* and one in the *Charlotte Observer*. Reverend Creech is published regularly in *The Charlotte World, The Raleigh World* and the *Triad World* newspapers.

CAL publishes once a week an Issues Alert that keeps over 1,000 people updated on the most significant events in the cultural war. Many times the Issues Alert advocates some action that Christian can take to make an impact for Christ on our legislators and U. S. Congressmen.

Reverend Creech has taken a bold stand in favor os U.S. Rep. Walter B. Jones' bill "House of Worship Political Speech Protection Act - HR 2357" which would permit churches and other houses of worship to engage in political campaigns. Rep. Jones said: "If this nation is going to remain free and strong, I think churches have an obligation to talk about issues." This bill would restore the free speech rights of pastors and ministers to speak openly about moral and religious issues during political campaigns without fear of IRS reprisal. Rev. Creech appeared on NBC 17 to debate the North Carolina head of American United for the Separation of Church and State on this issue.

The Christian Action League actively promoted the "Shield a Badge with Prayer" program started by Reverend Michael Taylor, President of the North Carolina Sheriffs' Chaplains Association. The program pairs law enforcement officers with Christian people who commit to pray for them. Rev. Creech's promotion of the program on radio and in editorials resulted in Agape Press (a national Christian news agency) picking up the story and elevating it to national prominence.

For the second consecutive year, Reverend Mark Creech has been asked to participate in the Christian World View Institute for Students. The Institute combines a balanced mix of courses that include training in the Christian World View and the opposing world views, apologetics, logic, intelligent design, government, journalism, America's Christian heritage and leadership.

B. Gambling

Reverend Mark H. Creech has been an active member of Citizens United Against the Lottery which includes such distinguished members as William Friday (former Chancellor of the University of North Carolina system); Billy Graham (Evangelist); former Governor Robert Scott; former U. S. Senator Lauch Faircloth and Chuck Neely (2000 Gubernatorial candidate).

The Christian Action League of North Carolina focused most of its energy this year in keeping a state-operated lottery out of North Carolina. Our efforts have been effective. Chuck Neely, President of Citizens United Against the Lottery, recently said: "Mark Creech and the Christian Action League have played a pivotal role in holding off the gambling forces

..Mark - who speaks with the powerful, impassioned voice of truth - has helped to organize hundreds and hundreds of the faithful to call their legislators and let them know of their opposition to the lottery. Without the leadership of CAL, it is doubtful that we could have prevailed so long. The battle goes on, but Mark and CAL are always to be found where the fight is thickest. On behalf of Citizens United Against the Lottery, I am proud to acknowledge the leadership and effective effort of Mark Creech and the Christian Action League."

In order to equip pastors and lay persons with information about the harmful effects of a lottery, the Christian Action League held workshops called "A Christian Looks at Gambling" in strategic areas across our state. CAL also furnished hundreds of packets of lottery materials (Gambling: A Bad Bet for North Carolina) to pastors.

C. Sex Education

In March, 2002, the Wake County school board voted to teach comprehensive sex education. Reverend Mark Creech and CAL fought vigorously to keep comprehensive sex ed out of Wake County schools. Creech said in an editorial which appeared in the Raleigh *News and Observer* "protected promiscuity has no part in God's plan. Only sex in the context for which it was intended-lifelong, monogamous marriage-is safe."

D. Education

Reverend Mark Creech appeared on NBC 17 to debate a professor of history from the University of North Carolina about the University's requirement that freshmen and transfer student read "Approaching the Qu'ran: The Early Revelations." Anchorman Monty Knight said the television station's rating on that particular program were higher than even the national networks. They had never received such high ratings for a news broadcast before. Rev. Creech also wrote an editorial entitled "UNC's Doctrine" that appeared in newspapers across the state. Joe Glover, President of the Family Policy Network (the Virginia-based organization that brought the lawsuit against UNC-Chapel Hill), said he believed Rev. Creech's editorial had a significant impact on the decision by legislators in the North Carolina House to vote to defend the summer reading program at UNC-Chapel Hill.

E. Alcohol

During the last session of the General Assembly, SB 166 (2001 Studies Act) established the Legislative Alcohol Beverage Control Study Commission. The Commission was established to consider the significant impact of the privatization of the State's present system of alcohol beverage control. If privatization was approved, it will exacerbate alcohol-related problems in our beloved State. The Christian Action League of North Carolina is the major enemy of the proliferation of alcohol and we are on the front line in the General Assembly trying to defeat this legislation.

CAL has assisted 13 townships and counties in preparing and executing strategy to defeat alcohol referendums since January, 2002. We provided free materials and counsel that were critical in minimizing the proliferation of alcohol in North Carolina.

F. Homosexuality

Rev. Creech wrote an editorial that appeared in the nationwide Agape Press entitled "Thanks Be to God that Anne Graham Lotz Stood Up for Truth." During a recent address to about 500 women, Lotz called homosexuality one of several sins from which man needs to repent. She was ridiculed for this remark and Rev. Creech vigorously defended her position.

For a Better North Carolina

Reverend Mark H. Creech
Executive Director

Reverend Coy P. Privette
President

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Pursuant to §55A-2-02 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, the undersigned corporation does hereby submit these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a nonprofit corporation.

ARTICLE I
NAME

The name of the corporation is **LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION**

ARTICLE II
DESIGNATION

The corporation is a charitable or religious corporation within the meaning of N.C.G.S. §55A-1-40(4).

ARTICLE III
REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is Route 8, Box 610, Bud Kanoy Road, Thomasville, Davidson County, North Carolina, 27360-7839, and the initial registered agent at that office is *Dr.* Richard H. Capps, Director of Missions.

ARTICLE IV
INCORPORATORS

The names and addresses of the incorporators, acting as representatives of the members of Liberty Baptist Association are as follows:

Moderator: J. Stuart White, 5694 E. Holly Grove Road, Thomasville NC 27360
Vice Moderator: Robert W. Cook, 485 Jr. Order Home Road, Lexington NC 27292
Clerk: Gail S. Beck, 361 Light Road, Thomasville NC 27360
Treasurer: Raleigh F. York, Jr., 22 Forest Drive, Thomasville NC 27360

ARTICLE V
MEMBERS

The corporation shall have one class of members as provided in the bylaws. Members shall be received, rejected, or withdrawn as set forth in the bylaws. The Baptist churches which are members of Liberty Baptist Association immediately prior to the incorporation thereof automatically shall become members of the corporation.

ARTICLE VI
DISSOLUTION

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the board of directors shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for religious purposes as shall qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue law) as the board of directors shall determine. Any such assets not disposed of shall be disposed of by the District Court of the County in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

ARTICLE VII
PURPOSE

The purposes for which the corporation is organized are:

A. to assist the churches of Liberty Baptist Association in their divinely appointed mission and in cooperative relationships with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, the Southern Baptist Convention, and other Baptist entities to promote and provide opportunities for individual and collective participation in missions, evangelism, ministry, education, social services, and distribution of the Bible;

B. to engage in any lawful act or activities for which corporations may be organized under N.C.

General Statutes Chapter 55A;

C. to engage in any lawful activity within the purposes for which the corporation may be organized which is incidental to and in furtherance of the exempt purposes of the corporation;

D. to operate exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and recreational purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE VIII
INITIAL DIRECTORS

The number of initial directors shall be One Hundred and Thirty-Four (134), and the initial directors shall be the duly-elected representatives from each member church of Liberty Baptist Association.

ARTICLE IX
GOVERNMENT

A. The government of this corporation is vested in its members who are represented in the manner set out in its bylaws. The members retain the right of self-government in all phases of the spiritual and temporal life of the association.

B. Churches received as members of this corporation as set out in the bylaws shall constitute the membership ("the members"). The members shall be represented by messengers as provided in the bylaws and shall have the sole authority to adopt and amend the charter and bylaws, approve budgets, receive and discharge members, govern and conduct the affairs of this corporation.

C. All internal groups, committees, directors, officers, agents, and/or employees created and empowered by the association ultimately shall report to and be accountable to the members and shall have such powers and duties as set out in the bylaws.

D. This association is autonomous and independent and is a sovereign and democratic association of Baptist churches under the Lordship of Jesus Christ. As such, the association is subject to the control of no other ecclesiastical body and does not claim and will never attempt to exercise any authority over any member church, auxiliary organization, or other Baptist body.

ARTICLE X
ELECTION AS 501(c)(3) CORPORATION

No part of the net earnings or receipts of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes as set forth in these Articles of Incorporation.

No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), or (b) by a corporations, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE XI
PERSONAL LIABILITY

Personal liability for all directors for monetary damages arising out of an action or actions, whether by or in the right of the corporation or otherwise for breach of any duty as a director is eliminated except with respect to acts, omissions, liabilities and/or transactions described and defined in North Carolina General Statutes §55A-2-02 (b),(4)(i),(ii),(iii), and (iv).

ARTICLE XII
EFFECTIVE DATE

These articles will be effective upon filing.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands, this the 21st day of November, 1994.

J. Stuart White
Robert W. Cook
Gail S. Beck
Raleigh F. York, Jr.

BYLAWS OF LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

ARTICLE I
NAME AND LOCATION

G. The corporate name of this nonprofit corporation shall be "Liberty Baptist Association" The principal and registered office of the Corporation shall be at 259 Bud Kanoy Road, Thomasville, 27360-0810, Davidson County, North Carolina.

H. All reference to "Association" or "Corporation" in the Articles of Incorporation, in the Bylaws, in Amendments, or other official action of the Association, shall signify the legal organization of Liberty Baptist Association as established in the Articles of Incorporation. Liberty Baptist Association as it has existed heretofore, for all legal and administrative purposes fully is incorporated into Liberty Baptist Association, a nonprofit corporation. References to votes of the membership shall have reference to a vote of the members of this Association as prescribed in Article VII F of these Bylaws.

ARTICLE II
PURPOSE

The purposes for which the Corporation is organized are:

A. to assist the churches of Liberty Baptist Association in their divinely appointed mission and in cooperative relationships with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, the Southern Baptist Convention, and other Baptist entities to promote and provide opportunities for individual and collective participation in missions, evangelism, ministry, education, social services, and distribution of the Bible;

B. to engage in any lawful act or activities for which corporations may be organized under N.C. General Statutes Chapter 55A;

C. to engage in any lawful activity within the purposes for which the Corporation may be organized which is incidental to and in furtherance of the exempt purposes of the Corporation;

D. to operate exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and recreational purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE III
ELECTION AS A 501(C)(3) CORPORATION

A. The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and recreational purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 50l(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law).

B. No part of the net earnings or receipts of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes as set forth in the Articles.

C. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the Corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the

Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (or the corresponding provision of any future U.S. Internal Revenue Law) or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future U.S. Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE IV
GOVERNMENT

A. The government of this Association is vested in its members who are represented in the manner set out in its Bylaws. The members retain the right of self-government in all phases of the spiritual and temporal life of the association.

B. Churches received as members of this Association, as herein provided, shall constitute the membership ("the members"). The members shall be represented by messengers duly elected by each member church and certified to the Association in its Annual Church Profile (Church Letter), and the number of messengers shall be determined as follows:

- **a.** Six messengers from each church for its first one hundred members or fraction thereof;
- **b.** One additional messenger from each church for each additional fifty members or fraction thereof above 100 and up to 1,000 members;
- **c.** One additional messenger from each church for each additional one hundred members or major fraction thereof above 1,000 members;

The members represented by messengers as aforesaid shall have the sole authority to adopt and amend the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws, approve budgets, receive and discharge members, govern and conduct the affairs of this Corporation. In the event of death or resignation of a messenger, the member shall elect a successor messenger to fill the vacancy. The name of the messenger being replaced and the elected successor shall be furnished to the Clerk of the Association, in writing, and shall be presented at the next regular meeting of the Association.

C. All internal groups, committees, directors, officers, agents, and/or employees created and empowered by the Association ultimately shall report to and be accountable to the Association and shall have such powers and duties as hereinafter set out.

D. This Association is autonomous and independent and is a sovereign and democratic association of Baptist churches under the Lordship of Jesus Christ. As such, the Association is subject to the control of no other ecclesiastical body and does not claim and will never attempt to exercise any authority over any member church, auxiliary organization, or other Baptist body.

ARTICLE V
PROPERTY

A. The title to all property shall be in the Association.

B. The securing and maintaining of real, personal, and mixed property by this association shall be for the express purpose of providing facilities for and the engagement upon the missionary, educational, and benevolent interests of this association as historically have been espoused and practiced thereby and as are expressed in its charter and bylaws, which practices and documents are deemed the standard for uses and practices upon and with regard to such property.

C. Real property shall not be mortgaged, conveyed, transferred, or encumbered without the affirmative vote of three-fourths of the "Individuals entitled to vote," as hereinafter defined in Article VII, G., at an annual meeting or a regular meeting duly called for such purpose and stated in the meeting notice.

D. This article shall not be amended, altered, or repealed except by a three fourths vote of the "Individuals entitled to vote," as hereinafter defined in Article VII, G., at an annual or regular meeting duly called and then only in the event that such proposed amendment, alteration, or repeal has been given in writing to the Moderator and Executive Board and has lain on the table for a period of twelve months, and no article shall be voted upon until the period aforementioned has elapsed, any other provisions herein to the contrary notwithstanding.

ARTICLE VI
MEMBERS

A. **Record of Members:** The members of this Association shall be composed of the Baptist churches

who are members of Liberty Baptist Association on the date these Bylaws are adopted. The Clerk shall attach hereto a list of such present members which shall remain a part of the official records of the Association maintained at all times in the office of the Association. A current list of members shall be maintained at all times in the office of the Association.

B. **Organization of New Work Missions/Churches:** The Association by its nature and definition is an organization whose primary purpose is missions. In furtherance of these functions, the Association will attempt to develop and foster new work missions/churches and will remain available and will be resourceful in assisting groups or churches in their own development respectively of and as Baptist churches. The Association is mindful and responsive to the autonomous nature of the structure of its members and desires to inculcate in watch-care groups and churches their own independence while utilizing, without compulsion, the well-intended and well-respected practices of existing Baptist churches in historical Baptist precedence, all of which can be helpful during the organizational phases. To those ends and to effect these purposes, the Association will consider, promulgate, and maintain suggested guidelines for establishing and assisting new work missions/churches in their efforts. These guidelines shall be developed by the Missions Development Committee and approved by the Association. At such time as a group comes under watch care of the Association, a sponsoring church (member of the Association) shall be recommended by the Missions Development Committee in consultation with the Director of Missions and actively shall support such mission/church with any resource assistance required. The sponsoring church will work in cooperation with the Missions Development Committee and a Liaison Committee shall be formulated and shall be comprised of the following: Two persons from the sponsoring church; Two persons from the new mission/church; One person from the Missions Development Committee; and, Ex-officio, the Mission Pastor, Sponsoring Church Pastor, and Director of missions.

The Liaison Committee shall meet monthly and no less than bi-monthly during the formation period of the mission/church and shall assist in every reasonable manner with the development of the mission/church on behalf of the Association. In the event a sponsoring church cannot be secured, the Missions Development Committee shall be responsible for the sponsoring thereof on behalf of the Association. The mission/church shall remain under watch care of the Association until such mission/church is ready to constitute a self-supporting church and has fulfilled watch-care requirements.

C. **Admission of New Churches:** Any church seeking admission to the membership of the Association shall petition the Association in writing at least three months prior to the annual meeting of the Association. Such petition shall be referred to the Missions Development Committee for its study of the petitioning church's covenant, articles of faith, history, practices, cooperative spirit, its relations to other churches of the Association, and its willingness to abide by the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of the Association. A written report setting out its findings and recommendations for action at the next annual meeting of the Association shall be submitted by the Missions Development Committee to the Executive Board and the Association. Final approval for membership shall be contingent upon a one-year period under a watch-care relationship after which determination will be made by a three-fourths vote of "Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in VII, G., in annual meeting.

D. **Privileges of Membership:** Members through their messengers ("Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in Article VII, G.), and members through their messengers ("Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in Article VII, G.,) only, are entitled to vote in all elections and all questions submitted to the Association. Recognizing the value of voluntary association among churches of like faith and practice, members are afforded opportunity to work in mutual, cooperative fellowship with other churches, especially those of Baptist faith, to advance the gospel of Christ, to promote Christian principles of justice and righteousness in personal, social, and community life, to promote the spiritual welfare of all persons, to disseminate the work of God to the people of all nations through evangelistic, educational, and charitable missions.

E. **Requirements of Membership:** All members reasonably are required to submit a completed Annual Church Profile (Church Letter) to the Annual Meeting; send messengers to the annual

meeting; and, contribute to the financial program of the Association. Only members of the Association shall determine whether member churches have fulfilled requirements for membership.

F. **Termination of Membership:** The membership status of any member shall be terminated by written request of the member seeking termination addressed to the Association. Failure reasonably to meet requirements of membership as set out in paragraph E above for a period of two consecutive years after contact by the Missions Development Committee to ascertain the desire of the member church shall subject any member church to termination. No member may be expelled or suspended, and no membership may be terminated or suspended, except in a manner that is fair and reasonable and is carried out in good faith, and in compliance with the following procedures:

1. The Executive Board, by a three-fourths (3/4) vote of members present at a special meeting, duly called, must recommend termination of the subject member church.
2. Such recommendation, in writing, must be mailed to the subject member church and each member church sixty (60) days in advance of a special meeting of members.
3. The subject church shall have full and ample opportunity to present its position at such meeting.
4. Termination of membership shall occur only upon a three-fourths (3/4) vote of individuals entitled to vote.

G. **Watch-care Affiliation:** Watch-care affiliation for a period of one year shall be required for each church applying for membership in the Association. Each church under watch-care affiliation shall submit a quarterly report and an Annual Church Profile (Church Letter) to the Association.

ARTICLE VII
MEETINGS OF MEMBERS

A. **Annual Meeting:** The annual meeting of the Association shall be held on Monday following the first Sunday in October for the following purposes: to elect officers of the Association, standing committees, and special committees; to receive annual reports; to approve budgets; to conduct any other business matters which properly may come before the annual meeting; and, to share in worship and fellowship.

B. **Regular Meetings:** Regular meetings shall be held in January, April, and July to receive reports, to conduct business matters which properly come before the meeting, and to share in worship and fellowship.

C. **Special Meetings:** Special meetings for the transaction of business may be called by the Executive Board provided sufficient notice is given members to allow for two Sundays between the call and the meeting.

D. **Emergencies:** In emergencies, any change in the time and/or place of meetings shall be determined by a vote of two-thirds of the Executive Board present when the vote is taken.

E. **Presiding Officer:** The Moderator shall preside at all meetings of members. In the absence of the Moderator, the Vice Moderator shall preside. In the absence of the Moderator and Vice Moderator, the Clerk shall preside. In the absence of the aforementioned officers, the Treasurer shall preside. In the absence of all officers, the body may elect an acting moderator.

F. **Quorum:** Seventy-five (75) "Individuals entitled to vote," as hereinafter defined in Article VII, G., shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at any annual or special meeting of members.

G. **Voting:** Messengers who have been duly elected by a member, have been certified in its annual report to the Association, and are duly registered and present shall be collectively referred to as "Individuals entitled to vote" and shall be entitled to one vote at any meeting of members. No proxy or absentee voting shall be permitted. All voting shall be by show of hands, standing vote or voice vote except when there are contested matters in which case the vote shall be by ballot. Parliamentary procedure utilizing Robert's Rules of Order shall be followed.

ARTICLE VIII
EXECUTIVE BOARD

A. **Board of Directors:** All reference to "Executive Board" or "Board of Directors" in the Articles of Incorporation, in the Bylaws, in Amendments, or other official action of the Association shall be synonymous with and shall include conferring of powers as are provided by the Articles of

Incorporation, Bylaws, and the North Carolina Nonprofit Corporation Act.

B. **Membership:** The Executive Board membership shall consist of the following:

1. Officers duly elected by the Association, to-wit: Moderator, Vice Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer.
2. Standing Committee Chairpersons, Special Standing Committee Chairpersons, and Representatives, Director and Team Leaders as named in Article XI A and XI B.

C. **Officers:** The officers of the Executive Board shall be the same persons elected by the Association as Moderator (President), Vice Moderator (Vice President), Clerk (Secretary), and Treasurer.

D. **Meetings:** Regular meetings of the Executive Board shall be held at least quarterly. The first meeting, which shall be designated as the annual meeting, shall be held as soon as possible after the annual meeting of the Association, and the last meeting shall be held as nearly as possible to the next annual meeting of the Association for approval/endorsement of various Reports of the Association for the annual meeting.

Special meetings may be called by the Moderator whenever the need arises and the Moderator shall call a special meeting when requested in writing by ten (10) members of the Executive Board.

E. **Quorum:** Eighteen (18) members of the Executive Board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

F. **Duties:** Except as restricted by the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws or other official action of the Association, the Executive Board shall manage the general business and activities of the Association between meetings of members; and shall call special meetings of the Association. Executive Board shall plan and correlate the activities of the Association and make recommendations to the Association. The Executive Board shall present a written report of action taken to the Association at its next regular or annual meeting for ratification and approval of action so taken between meetings.

G. **Contracts:** As instructed and authorized by the Association, the Executive Board may authorize officers to enter into contracts or execute and deliver instruments on behalf of the Association, and such authority may be general or confined to specific instances subject only to limitations provided herein.

H. **Loans:** No loans shall be contracted on behalf of the Association and no evidence of indebtedness shall be issued in its name unless authorized by a resolution of the Executive Board pursuant to specific authority of the Association. Such authority may be general or confined to specific instances.

I. **Depository:** The Executive Board shall have the power to (a) select one or more banks to act as depositories of the funds of the Association; (b) determine the manner of receiving, depositing, and disbursing the funds of the Association; (c) designate the person or persons authorized to draw on the bank accounts of the Association; (d) approve the form of checks to be used in drawing on such bank accounts; and, (e) change such banks, the person or persons drawing on such accounts, and the form of checks at will.

J. **Removal:** Board members, as well as officers of the Association, may be removed by majority vote of the Association at a properly called business meeting, with written notice to members setting out the specific purpose of the meeting.

K. **Death, Resignation or Termination:** In the event a Board member shall expire, resign, or for any reason be removed from the Executive Board, the Association shall fill the vacancy for the unexpired term.

ARTICLE IX
OFFICERS

A. **Officers Generally:** There shall be a Moderator who shall also serve as Moderator and Chairman of the Executive Board and President of the Corporation. There shall be a Vice Moderator who shall also serve as Vice Moderator of the Executive Board and Vice President of the Corporation. There shall be a Clerk who shall also serve as Clerk of the Executive Board and Secretary of the Corporation. There shall be a Treasurer who shall also serve as Treasurer of the Association and of the Corporation. Whenever used in the Articles of Incorporation, in the Bylaws, in Amendments, or in other official action of the Association, the words "Moderator or "President;" "Vice Moderator"

or "Vice President;" or "Clerk" or "Secretary" shall be synonymous.

B. Moderator:

1. Election and Term: The Moderator shall be elected annually at the annual meeting of the Association for a term of one year and may be re-elected for a one-year term. The Moderator shall be ineligible for re-election as Moderator for a period of two years after having served two one-year terms. The term of office shall begin at the close of the annual meeting and shall continue through the close of the next annual meeting or until a successor is elected.

2. Duties: The Moderator shall

a. preside at the annual meeting, regular meetings, and any special meeting of the Association;

b. serve as President of the Corporation;

c. preside at all meetings of the Executive Board;

d. perform such other duties as are specifically prescribed in these Bylaws and as may be delegated by the Association;

e. serve with other officers to recommend a Committee on Nominations to the Association for election at its July meeting;

f. appoint other committees when so directed by the Association or Executive Board; and

g. serve as ex officio member of all committees except the Committee on Nominations.

C. Vice Moderator

1. Election and Term: The Vice Moderator shall be elected annually at the annual meeting for a term of one year and may be re-elected for a one-year term. The Vice Moderator shall be ineligible for re-election as Vice Moderator for a period of two years after having served two one-year terms. The term of office shall begin at the close of the annual meeting in which such election is held and shall continue through the close of the next annual meeting or until his successor is elected.

2. Duties: The Vice Moderator shall

a. preside at meetings of the Association and Executive Board in the absence of the Moderator or at the pleasure of the Moderator;

b. serve as Vice President of the Corporation;

c. serve with other officers to recommend a Committee on Nominations to the Association for election at its July meeting; and

d. perform such other duties as may be specifically prescribed in these Bylaws and as may be delegated by the members.

D. Clerk

1. Election and Term: The Clerk shall be elected annually at the annual meeting for a term of one year.

2. Duties: The Clerk shall

a. serve as Secretary of the Corporation and of the Executive Board;

b. maintain at all times a current list of members of the Association;

c. maintain and preserve the files, records, and documents of the Association in proper order at all times for examination by the Executive Board;

d. send report forms to members at least one month before the annual meeting of the Association;

e. prepare a composite record of the member information included in the annual report submitted to the Association and distribute copies thereof at the annual meeting;

f. supervise the printing of minutes of the Association and distribute to the members as soon as possible after the annual meeting;

g. preserve the files, records, and documents of the Association and, upon election of a successor, relinquish such files, records, documents, and other property belonging to the Association and in the possession and control of the Clerk to the duly elected successor; and

h. preside at meetings in the absence of the Moderator and Vice Moderator at the pleasure of the moderator.

E. Treasurer

1. Election and Term: The Treasurer shall be elected annually at the annual meeting for a term of one year.

2. Duties: The Treasurer shall

a. serve as Treasurer of the Corporation;

b. have custody of all funds of the Association;

c. maintain at all times up-to-date, orderly records of all receipts and disbursements;

d. disburse funds by check in accordance with the budget and direction of the Association or Executive Board;

e. prepare quarterly financial reports and distribute copies to the Finance Committee and the Executive Board;

f. prepare a financial report and distribute copies at the annual meeting;

g. serve as a member of the Finance Committee;

h. cooperate with the firm making the annual audit; and

i. serve with other officers to recommend a Committee on Nominations to the Association for election at its July meeting.

j. preside at meetings in the absence of the Moderator, Vice Moderator and Clerk at the pleasure of the moderator.

F. Assistant Treasurer

1. Election and Term: The Assistant Treasurer shall be elected annually at the annual meeting for a term of one year.

2. Duties: The Assistant Treasurer shall, during periods of incapacity or absence of the Treasurer, perform the duties assigned to the Treasurer in paragraph E. 2 as required and shall assist the Treasurer as directed and required by the Treasurer.

ARTICLE X
STAFF

A. Staff Positions: The staff of the Association shall be composed of the Associational Missionary, Office Manager, and such other persons who shall fill staff positions as may be created by the Association. The Personnel Committee shall make recommendation for the creation of any staff position. A current list of staff positions shall be maintained by the Personnel Committee. A job description for each staff position shall be prepared and shall be revised periodically by the Personnel Committee, approved by the Executive Board, and furnished to all candidates considered for the position and the person filling the position. Staff positions may be combined from time to time at the discretion of the Personnel Committee and the Executive Board and the combined position held by one person.

B. Election/Employment: Except in the case of the Associational Missionary, the staff members from time to time shall be employed for indeterminate terms by the Association or Executive Board at a regular meeting upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

C. Termination: With the exception of the Associational Missionary, termination of the relationship between a staff member and the Association shall occur within a reasonable and announced period after written notice of termination delivered to the staff member on behalf of the Association and to the Personnel Committee and the Executive Board on behalf of the staff member. Termination of the staff member by the Association shall be initiated and acted upon by the Executive Board upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

D. Vacation and Leave: Requirements for vacation and leaves, record-keeping, expense reimbursement, work schedules, and other employment matters shall be outlined in the Policy Manual and Benefit Plans. Such manual shall be prepared, reviewed, monitored, and amended from time to time by recommendation of the Personnel Committee to the Executive Board; and the staff shall be subject to the provisions thereof from time to time; provided, nothing therein contained shall be interpreted to be in derivation or in violation of the provisions of the Bylaws, and such Policy Manual and Benefit Plans must remain consistent with the purposes and intent requirements thereof.

E. Associational Missionary

1. Search Committee Procedure: When a vacancy occurs in the position of Associational Missionary or the Associational Missionary furnishes notice of intent to vacate the position, a Search Committee composed of the officers of the Association and five members of the Missions

Development Committee elected by the Association shall meet as soon as possible, determine their procedure, establish a profile, prepare application forms and reference questionnaires, and shall diligently seek to find an Associational Missionary who, by calling, training, and ability, is qualified spiritually, mentally, and physically to lead the work of the Association. The Moderator shall serve as Chairperson of the Search Committee. Members of the committee may be reimbursed by the Treasurer for any necessary and reasonable travel and subsistence expenses which are incurred in the performance of their duties. The candidate to be recommended by the Search Committee may be interviewed by the Missions Development Committee/Executive Board before presenting the candidate to the Association in annual meeting.

2. Election/Employment: When the Search Committee has selected a potential employee and is ready to make a report and recommendation to the Association, such recommendation shall be made to the Association at its next meeting. Upon a vote being taken, the Associational Missionary presented must receive at least three-fourths of all votes cast. If the Associational Missionary fails to receive the required three-fourths vote, the Moderator shall declare the nominee not elected/employed and shall refer the matter, without debate, to the Search Committee for further investigation and further recommendation under the foregoing procedure.

3. Duties: The **Associational Missionary** shall

a. fulfill all duties under the direction of the Personnel Committee and the Executive Board;

b. serve ex officio in a supervisory capacity on all committees of the Association unless otherwise provided in these Bylaws;

c. promote the work of the Association and denomination;

d. cooperate with members, their pastors, officers, and committees of the Association;

e. present oral reports to the Missions Development Committee, the Executive Board and Association meetings;

f. present a written report to the annual meeting of the Association;

g. assist the Clerk in preparation of the composite record of members from information submitted in their annual report to the Association;

h. assist the Clerk in preparing the annual minutes of the Association.

4. Termination: The Associational Missionary shall be employed for an indeterminate term. The Associational Missionary shall give reasonable notice of intent to resign or retire to the Personnel Committee and the Executive Board. The Associational Missionary may be removed by an affirmative vote of three-fourths of the "Individuals entitled to vote," as heretofore defined in Article VII, G., at a meeting properly called with ten days written notice to the Associational Missionary and written notice of the meeting to the members as required by the Bylaws.

5. Interim Associational Missionary: The Executive Board, in consultation with the Personnel Committee, shall be responsible for recommending to the Association the employment of an Interim Associational Missionary when the Association is without an Associational Missionary.

6. Extended Leave or Absence: During any extended leave or absence of the Associational Missionary for medical or other appropriate reasons and with advice of the Personnel Committee, the Executive Board shall make such necessary, temporary or emergency decisions as reasonably shall be required.

ARTICLE XI
COMMITTEES

A. Standing Committees:

Except as hereinafter provided, Standing Committees of the Association shall be as follows: Audit Committee, Building and Grounds Committee; Bylaws Committee; Ethnic Ministries Committee; Evangelism Committee; Finance Committee; Historical Committee; Memorials Committee; Meeting Program Committee; Missions Development Committee; Music Committee; Nominating Committee; Ordination Examining Committee; Pastoral Ministries Committee; Personnel Committee; Place and Preacher Committee; Resolutions Committee; Scholarship Committee; Senior Adult Committee; Sunday School Committee; Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee and Youth Ministries Committee shall have membership of not less than three persons and general responsibilities respectively as follows:

1. **Audit Committee:** The Audit Committee shall make an audit or review of the records and receipts of the Association on a regular basis. A report shall be made to the Finance Committee in writing as to findings, needed adjustments and suggestions. The committee will meet at least two times a year with the Treasurer as ex-officio member to review the quarterly updated finance reports and records. The annual audit report or review shall be completed by September 30 and presented in writing in the Book of Reports as part of the Finance Committee report. The Audit Committee shall have the option of recommending a review of the financial records or a complete audit of the financial records. The Audit Committee shall recommend to the appropriate Executive Board and Association meeting, prior to the Annual Session, whether a review or complete audit of the Financial Records is needed. The Audit Committee is responsible for doing the necessary research to answer any questions concerning Financial Records that may be raised by member churches, messengers, or Executive Board members within a reasonable period.
2. **Building and Grounds Committee:** The Building and Grounds Committee shall plan for adequate maintenance, repairs, alterations, improvement, and housekeeping of the physical properties of the Association; upon request of the Associational Missionary, assist in considering approval for special use of the facilities of the Association; and, prepare and submit an appropriate budget request for consideration and inclusion in the proposed budget.
3. **Bylaws Committee:** The Bylaws Committee shall consider requests for amendments, alterations, or revisions of the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws and shall make recommendations to the Association with respect thereto; and, periodically review and make recommendations for amendments, alterations, or revisions of the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws.
4. **Ethnic Ministries Committee:** The Ethnic Ministries Committee will encourage cooperation among the churches to minister to the international groups in the area. This will involve various ministries including but not limited to: (1) computer opportunities; (2) medical/dental bus; (3) English as a second language; (4) literacy classes; (5) migrant ministries; (6) resource information for ethnic ministries (food banks, medical assistance, locations of ESL classes, etc.); (7) conversational Spanish classes, and (8) international population incorporation into a new culture.
5. **Evangelism Committee:** The Evangelism Committee will lead the Association (churches and programs) to address the priority of evangelism in its area and will include in its program: life-style evangelism; church evangelism committee development; evangelism strategy development; mass evangelism; personal evangelism; rural and small church evangelism; metropolitan evangelism; specialized evangelism; renewal evangelism, and evangelism prospect discovery. The committee will coordinate with other committes and member churches the festival ministries and special event ministries for evangelistic outreach in the Association.
6. **Finance Committee:** The Finance Committee shall consist of the Treasurer, Assistant Treasurer and four persons. The Finance Committee shall study, formulate, and recommend a budget adequate to support the program of the Association; formulate plans for promotion of the budget and cooperation of members in meeting budget needs; review the quarterly and annual financial reports of the Treasurer; review and monitor budget line item expenses; present periodical reports of contributions to members of the Association; and, present a written report to the quarterly and annual meeting of the Association. The Finance Committee shall study all financial matters which may be presented at an Association or Executive Board Meeting and report its findings before action is taken.
7. **Historical Committee:** The Historical Committee shall consist of the Historian and two other persons. The Historical Committee shall collect and preserve historical data of the association, encourage and promote the preservation of historical data by member churches, and present oral and written reports to meetings of the Association.
8. **Memorials Committee:** The Memorials Committee shall prepare a report of individuals who have expired since the last annual meeting as reflected in the Annual Church Profile

(Church Letter) to the Association furnished by the members and shall conduct a brief, appropriate Memorial Service for such individuals during the Annual Meeting.

9. **Meeting Program Committee:** The Meeting Program Committee shall consist of the elected chairman, the Moderator, Clerk, Place and Preacher Committee chairman, Associational Music Director, and the Pastors of host churches for the annual and regular meetings of the Association. The Meeting Program Committee shall plan the annual and regular meetings of the Association, prepare a printed program for each of these meetings, and send a copy of the printed program to all persons on the program and members at least ten days prior to the meeting. This committee shall present the printed program for adoption at the opening of each meeting and serve through all meetings when adjustments of the program are necessary.

10. **Missions Development Committee:** The Missions Development Committee will lead the association (churches and programs) to address the priority missions frontiers in their area through work with church mission development committees, missions survey and analysis, church extension, language missions, church and community ministries, volunteer chaplaincy ministries, interfaith witness, black church relations, and special ministries. The Missions Development committee will be responsible for assisting in the organization and admission of new churches as more specifically set out in Article VI B and C. The Missions Development Committee shall coordinate mission ministry projects in consultation with other committees of the Association as needed.

11. **Music Committee:** The Music Director elected by the Association shall serve as chairman of the Music Committee. Other members of the committee will be the music directors of each of the churches hosting the meetings of members. Music directors who served for the previous year will be ex officio members of the committee. The Music Committee will seek to enhance the redemptive mission of churches through establishing, conducting, enlarging, and improving their music ministries. It will provide musical experiences in congregational services; develop musical skills, attitudes, and understandings; witness and minister through music; interpret and undergird the work of the church and the denomination.

12. **Nominating Committee:** The Nominating Committee shall consist of five individuals recommended to the annual meeting by the Committee on Nominations and shall meet as often as necessary to fill vacancies and prepare nominations for the annual meeting of the association; seek to fill all positions with the best qualified nominees, avoiding the nomination of one individual for more than one position and distributing obligations and privileges of service to member representation; contact all nominees and secure consent before making recommendations to the Association; recommend to the Association during the annual meeting the officers, chairpersons, members of each standing committee, teams, and representatives, unless otherwise provided in these Bylaws; recommend to the Association individuals to fill vacancies which may occur between annual meetings of the Association.

13. **Ordination Examining Committee:** Each church of the Association shall have the exclusive right to ordain for the ministry without Associational involvement. However, member churches shall have the option to utilize the Associational Ordination Examining Committee as hereinafter set out. The Ordination Examining Committee shall consist of five persons. The Ordination Examining Committee shall receive requests from churches within the Association who wish to examine a candidate for ordination to the Gospel ministry; cooperate with the church requesting examination in setting a mutually satisfactory date for examination; question the candidate for ordination; report its findings to the church making such request for examination; approve for ordination only the candidate who has received a call to serve in an ordained Christian ministry of any kind including, but not limited to that of a member church of the Association, or Baptist churches outside the Association; to serve on the mission field, or to serve as a chaplain in the armed forces or a public institution; and, shall have the option to summons pastors and one lay person from any or all cooperating member churches of the Liberty Baptist Association.

14. **Pastoral Ministries Committee:** The Pastoral Ministries Committee will assist pastors and staff by being a friend and resource. The committee will offer help and wisdom to ministers in planning new ideas, implementation, and how to bring about change within their congregation. This committee will visit and welcome new ministers and help them establish a good foundation in their new work.

15. **Personnel Committee:** The Personnel Committee shall consist of five persons. Except as otherwise provided in Article X, E., the Personnel Committee shall receive applications, interview applicants, contact references, and carefully investigate those being considered for staff positions; and shall recommend the prospective employee. They shall make recommendation to the Association the need for any new staff position; shall prepare, periodically review, revise, and recommend changes in job descriptions to the Executive Board; shall prepare, periodically review, revise and recommend changes to Personnel Policy Manual and Benefits Plan; periodically evaluate personnel performance and make necessary recommendations to the staff; consult with and perform duties as set out in Article X of these Bylaws. The Personnel Committee shall establish a salary plan and prepare budget requests and submit such budget requests to the Finance Committee of the Association.

16. **Place and Preacher Committee:** The Place and Preacher Committee shall solicit and receive invitations from churches to host the meetings of the members. The committee shall recommend the preacher and an alternate preacher for the meetings of the members. Recommendations for meeting places and the preacher and alternate preacher shall be made to the members at the annual meeting.

17. **Resolutions Committee:** The Resolutions Committee shall consist of five persons. The Resolutions Committee shall review all properly submitted resolutions which may be reworded for clarity, combined with like issues into one resolution, or rejected if previously addressed or are inappropriate; present all appropriate resolutions to the Association for consideration; prepare and present resolutions of appreciation and other resolutions deemed appropriate; and, notify persons submitting resolutions of the disposition thereof.

18. **Scholarship Committee:** The Scholarship Committee shall carry out the duties and obligations set out in the Guidelines for the Scholarship Committee of the Randall M. and Callie Sue Leonard Michael Scholarship as amended from time to time.

19. **Senior Adult Committee:** The Senior Adult Committee will plan activities and ministry projects for member church senior adults and will communicate any appropriate state and national conferences and Chautauguas to member churches.

20. **Sunday School Committee:** (Also known as ACTeam, Associational Consultant Team Training) The Sunday School Committee will assist and challenge churches to improve and enlarge all areas of their Sunday School through planning, training, administration activities, consultation, program interpretation, and cooperative projects. It will encourage and assist churches to understand that the Sunday School is the foundational strategy in a local church for leading people to faith in the Lord Jesus Christ and for the building of Great Commission Christians through Bible study groups that engage people in evangelism, discipleship, fellowship, ministry and worship.

21. **Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee:** Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee (Foreign, Home, State, Association Missions) shall receive information, work with the Missions Development Committee, provide leadership and orientation for partnership project participants as needed. They will prepare a report for the annual meeting of the Association of work accomplished.

22. **Youth Ministries Committee:** The Youth Ministries Committee shall plan youth related ministries for the Association including retreats, rallies, and volunteer training.

B. **Election and Term:** The Standing Committees listed in Section A of this Article and the chairperson respectively thereof shall be nominated by the Nominating Committee and elected at the annual meeting of the Association. The term of office shall be one year beginning at the adjournment of the annual meeting in which the election was held.

C. **Other Committees and Councils:** The Association may create such other committees ~~and councils~~, not inconsistent with the Articles of Incorporation and these Bylaws, as may from time to time be required.

D. **Special Standing Committees, Auxiliary, Teams, & Representatives:** Special Standing Committees, Auxiliary, Teams, and Representatives of the Association are Brotherhood/Baptist Men Committee/Leadership Team, the Committee on Nominations, Woman's Missionary Union, and Representatives as from time to time needed as determined by the Association upon recommendation of the Executive Board. Unless otherwise set out herein, nominations shall be made by the Nominating Committee for election at the annual meeting of the association for a term of one year beginning at the adjournment of the annual meeting in which the election was held. Each such standing committee, auxiliary, team, and representative shall furnish a written report for inclusion in the Book of Reports at the annual meeting and their other specific responsibilities are as follows:

1. **Brotherhood/Baptist Men Committe/Leadership Team:** The Brotherhood/Baptist Men Committee/Leadership Team will assist churches in involving men and boys in missions; helping churches engage men and boys in missions activities; helping churches prepare to teach missions to men and boys; helping churches lead men and boys to pray for and give to missions; helping churches lead men and boys to develop personal ministry; and helping churches interpret and undergird the work of the church and the denomination.
2. **Committee on Nominations:** The Committee on Nominations shall consist of three persons who shall be nominated by the officers and elected by the Association at the July meeting. The Committee on Nominations shall serve until the annual meeting when its report is made to the Association. The duty of the Committee on Nominations shall be to nominate the Nominating Committee at the Annual Meeting and to recommend to the Association individuals to fill any Nominating Committee vacancies during the year.
3. **Woman's Missionary Union:** The Woman's Missionary Union of Liberty Baptist Association is an auxiliary of Liberty Baptist Association. The Woman's Missionary Union is governed by its Constitution and Bylaws and elects its director, officers, and leadership team and are included for information in the Book of Reports of the Association. The Director of Woman's Missionary Union serves on the Missions Development Committee and Executive Board with full voting privileges.
4. **Bi-Vocational Ministers Representative:** A Bi-Vocational minister (active or retired) shall be elected to address needs of the Bi-Vocational ministerial staff.
5. **Christian Life and Public Affairs Representative:** A Christian Life and Public Affairs Representative will assist churches in awareness of critical moral and social issues and in leading in Christian action to meet these needs; in applying the gospel to all areas of life, in demonstrating responsible concern for society; in broadening cooperative efforts and emphases; and, in mobilizing and equipping the constituency to be on mission in regard to moral and ethical concerns. Areas of involvement include family life, race relations, citizenship, hunger, and other special moral concerns.
6. **Discipleship Training Representative:** A Discipleship Representative will assist churches in starting, improving, and expanding Christian discipleship through Discipleship Training to help churches equip church members for discipleship and personal ministry; teach Christian theology and Baptist doctrine, Christian ethics, Christian history, and church polity and organization; equip church leaders for service; and interpret and undergird the work of the church and Association.
7. **Hunger Awareness Representative:** A Hunger Awareness Representative will keep abreast of hunger needs throughout the world and apprize the Association of these needs. Upon request, the representative will assist churches in projects within the Association to meet specific needs.
8. **Seminary Extension Representative:** The Seminary Extension Representative will seek to provide college-level theological education to ministers and laypersons and basic theological education to ministers who lack formal education. The representative will assist in securing necessary curriculum materials, administrative services, promotional materials,

training materials for teachers, academic records, and certification of centers and teachers.

9. **Stewardship Representative:** The Stewardship Representative will assist churches in development of individual and corporate stewardship, interpretation of Biblical teachings on stewardship, and elevation of individual giving and corporate mission giving in light of Biblical teachings.

ARTICLE XII

ADOPTION AND AMENDMENT OF BYLAWS AND CORPORATE DOCUMENTS

A. Adoption:

These Bylaws shall be considered adopted and in immediate effect when a majority of the "Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in Article VII, G., at an annual meeting or a regular meeting shall vote in favor thereof. This vote shall be taken not less than thirty days after mailing a copy of these Bylaws to each member.

B. Amendment:

These Bylaws, the Articles of Incorporation, or any parts thereof may be amended, altered, or repealed only by a majority vote of "Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in Article VII, G., at the annual meeting or a regular meeting of the Association.

C. Preservation:

A copy of all original corporate records, including but not limited to the Articles of Incorporation, the Bylaws, and Personnel Policies, shall be maintained at all times by the Clerk in the office of the Association; and copies of the same shall be kept in separate locations. All amendments to said documents or to any provisions thereof shall be prepared promptly after adoption by the Association; and the Secretary shall cause the same and copies to be typed or printed in proper form and attached to the originals of respective documents and kept as above stated.

ARTICLE XIII

GENERAL AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

A. Fiscal Year:

The fiscal year of the Association shall be from September 1 to August 31.

B. Reports:

Reports of officers, committees, auxiliary, teams, representatives, and church letters to the annual meeting of the Association shall cover the period from September 1 to August 31. All reports for the annual meeting shall be in writing for inclusion in the published Book of Reports and shall be limited to 250 words.

C. Audit:

An annual audit or review of the financial records of the Association shall be conducted by an independent accounting firm elected by the Association upon recommendation of the Audit Committee and the Executive Board.

D. Records:

The membership rolls, minutes of meetings, and annual reports shall be available at all reasonable times for all reasonable purposes.

E. Policy Manual:

The Policy Manual shall contain documents of procedure and the adopted Budget and Nominations Report not inconsistent with the Articles of Incorporation and these Bylaws from various committees and councils that have been recommended to and approved by the Association. These policies will be governing rules and procedures of the respective committees and councils of the Association. They may be amended by the Association upon recommendation of the Executive Board.

F. Seal:

There shall appear within the center of the Corporate Seal of the Association the words "Corporate Seal," around which shall appear two concentric circles within which will be inscribed Liberty Baptist Association of North Carolina, 1832. Such seal, as impressed on the margin hereof, is hereby adopted as the corporate seal of the Corporation.

G. Gender:

The use of terms in these Bylaws that may in other contexts tend to denote gender is intended to be

neutral as to gender. The masculine shall be deemed to include the feminine and the feminine deemed to include the masculine.

H. Majority:

Unless these Bylaws or The General Statutes of North Carolina otherwise require a different number, a majority of those in attendance at any meeting of members or the Executive Board with a quorum present shall be required to effect any action.

As amended 10/7/96; 10/6/97; 10/5/98; and 10/1/2001.

HISTORICAL TABLE

Year	Where Held	Preacher	Moderator	Clerk
1832	Jamestown-1	George W. Purefoy	Wm Burch	Peter Owens
1833	Holloways	Jonah Williams	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1834	Abbotts Creek	Eli Carroll	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1835	Liberty	John Culpepper	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1836	Jersey	Eli Carroll	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1837	Lick Creek	Peter Owens	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1838	Abbotts Creek	Benjamin Lanier	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1839	Pine Meeting H-2	Eli Carroll	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1840	Holloways	Josiah Williams	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1841	N. Friendship	Benjamin Lanier	Gershom Tussey	Peter Owens
1842	Reeds X Roads	Barton Roby	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1843	Lick Creek	Benjamin Lanier	Benajmin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1844	Abbotts Creek	Wm. Turner	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1845	Jersey	Alfred Kenney	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1846	Lick Creek	Wm. Turner	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1847	Abbotts Creek	Wm. Turner	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1848	Reeds X Roads	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1849	Big Creek-3	Azariah Williams	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1850	Jamestown-1	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1851	Liberty	Wm. Turner	Wm. Turner	Azariah Williams
1852	Holloways	Z. Minor	Wm. Turner	Azariah Williams
1853	Abbotts Creek	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1854	Reeds X Roads	Alfred Kenney	Joseph Spurgeon	Azariah Williams
1855	Lick Creek	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1856	Abbotts Creek	Unknown	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1857	Reeds X Roads	Wm. Lambeth	Amos Weaver	Azariah Williams
1858	Holloways	Amos Weaver	Amos Weaver	Azariah Williams
1859	N. Friendship	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	J. H. Owens
1860	Jersey	Wm. Turner	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1861	Lick Creek	J. B. Jackson	J. B. Jackson	Azariah Williams
1862	Abbotts Creek	F. H. Jones	J. B. Jackson	Azariah Williams
1863	Thomasville	T. W. Tobey	J. B. Jackson	Azariah Williams
1864	Lick Creek	W. H. Hammer	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1865	No Session Held			
1866	Abbotts Creek	W. T. Walters	Benjamin Lanier	J. H. Owens
1867	Jersey	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	J. H. Owens
1868	Abbotts Creek	W. H. Hammer	Benjamin Lanier	J. H. Owens
1869	Big Creek-3	A. P. Stoker	Wm. Turner	J. H. Owens
1870	Pine Meeting H-2	Wm. Turner	Wm. Turner	J. H. Owens
1871	N. Friendship	W. M. Wingate	Wm. Turner	J. H. Owens
1872	Holloways	H. Morton	J. H. Brooks	J. L. Pleasant
1873	Lick Creek	Thomas Carrick	H. Morton	Thomas Carrick
1874	Muddy Creek-4	A. F. Redd	Wm. Turner	Thomas Carrick
1875	Reeds X Roads	C. T. Bailey	Wm. Turner	Thomas Carrick
1876	High Point	H. W. Reinhart	Wm. Turner	Thomas Carrick
1877	Big Creek-3	I. B. Richardson	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1878	Abbotts Creek	H. W. Reinhart	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1879	Liberty	Harvey Hatcher	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1880	Holloways	S. F. Conrad	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1881	Jersey	Henry Sheets	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1882	Muddy Creek-4	S. H. Thompson	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets

Year	Where Held	Preacher	Moderator	Clerk
1883	Pine Meeting H-2	O. F. Gregory	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1884	Summerville	S. H. Thompson	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1885	Lexington	I. B. Richardson	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1886	Abbotts Creek	I. B. Richardson	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1887	Lick Creek	Henry Sheets	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1888	Reeds X Roads	C. Durham	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1889	N. Friendship	W. F. Watson	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1890	Jersey	J. M. Bennett	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1891	Pine Meeting H-2	J. F. Fant	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1892	High Point	Henry Sheets	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1893	Kernersville	R. T. Bryan	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1894	Holloways	R. Vandeventor	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1895	Pleasant Grove-6	J. M. Hilliard	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1896	Denton	Henry Sheets	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1897	Piney Grove-5	W. H. Rich	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1898	Rich Fork	J. H. Lambeth	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1899	Abbotts Creek	S. B. Wilson	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1900	Reeds X Roads	W. H. Rich	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1901	Lexington	C.A.G. Thomas	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1902	Lick Creek	Henry Sheets	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1903	Jersey	W. A. Smith	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1904	Pine Meeting H-2	Geo. P. Harrill	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1905	N. Friendship	John R. Miller	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1906	Thomasville	J. S. Famer	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1907	Wallburg	R. T. Vann	J. W. Nowell	P. S. Vann
1908	Denton	M. L. Kesler	J. W. Nowell	P. S. Vann
1909	Liberty	S. D. Swaim	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1910	Orphanage	O. A. Keller	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1911	Abbotts Creek	G. A. Martin	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1912	Stoners Grove	O. A. Keller	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1913	Rich Fork	M. L. Kesler	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1914	Holloways	G. A. Martin	G. A. Martin	Henry Sheets
1915	Center Hill	O. A. Keller	O. A. Keller	Henry Sheets
1916	Wallburg	J. M. Mercer	O. A. Keller	Henry Sheets
1917	Smith Grove	Fred D. Hale	R. S. Green	Henry Sheets
1918	Lexington	M. L. Kesler	R. S. Green	Archibald Johnson
1919	Denton	R. E.White	R. S. Green	Archibald Johnson
1920	N. Friendship	J. S. Hardaway	R. S. Green	Archibald Johnson
1921	Churchland	M. L. Kesler	R. S. Green	Archibald Johnson
1922	Summerville	W. A. Hough	R. S. Green	Paul C. Newton
1923	Abbotts Creek	W. L. Barrs	Archibald Johnson	Paul C. Newton
1924	Reeds	C. H. Trueblood	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1925	Liberty	C. A. Owens	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1926	Rich Fork	E. N. Gardner	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1927	Thomasville	H. T. Penry	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1928	Holloways	M. L. Kesler	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1929	Stoners Grove	J. H. Hayes	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1930	Abbotts Creek	M. L. Kesler	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1931	Denton	M. O. Alexander	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith
1932	Lexington	G. A. Martin	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith
1933	Lick Creek	E. F. Mumford	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith
1934	Jersey	W. L. Warfford	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith

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1935	Mills Home	E. C. Roach	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1936	Reeds	J. A. Nellson	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1937	Churchland	W. K. Mcgee	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1938	Denton	John A. McMillan	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith
1939	Wallburg	H. M. Stroup	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1940	Center Hill	L. S. Gaines	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1941	N. Friendship	N. C. Teague	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1942	Liberty/Abbotts Creek	I. G. Greer	H. M. Stroup	Sam J. Smith
1943	Lexington	B. A. Mitchell	H. M. Stroup	Sam J. Smith
1944	Thomasville	C. B. Atkinson	H. M. Stroup	Sam J. Smith
1945	Jersey	J. Roy Clifford	N. C. Teague	A. L. Snider
1946	Denton	V. W. Sears	N. C. Teague	A. L. Snider
1947	Wallburg	E. F. Baker	N. C. Teague	A. L. Snider
1948	Smith Grove	Chas. F. Leek	N. C. Teague	A. L. Snider
1949	Sheets Memorial	J. O. Walton	J. O. Walton	A. L. Snider
1950	Stoners Grove/Holloways	C. M. Pegram	J. O. Walton	A. L. Snider
1951	Greenwood/Rich Fork	C. C. Edinger	J. O. Walton	A. L. Snider
1952	Churchland/Reeds	W. C. Reed	Sam J. Smith	W. H. Lomax
1953	N. Friendship/Welcome	J. T. Davis	Sam J. Smith	W. H. Lomax
1954	Oak Hill/Abbotts Creek	Robert Taylor	J. O. Walton	W. H. Lomax
1955	Jersey/Lexington,First	Elmer W. Day	J. O. Walton	W. H. Lomax
1956	Mills Home	W. N. Brookshire	J. Roy Clifford	J. Wade Jarrett
1957	Denton,First/Center Hill	Clarence Jenkins	J. Roy Clifford	J. Wade Jarrett
1958	Southside/Liberty	F. M. Powell	W. N. Brookshire	J. Wade Jarrett
1959	Reeds/Coggins Mem	Guy C. Moore	W. N. Brookshire	J. Wade Jarrett
1960	Wallburg/Greenwood	Inman Stewart	Leonard Rollins	Robert Nation
1961	Churchland/Smith Grove	W. H. Walton	Leonard Rollins	Robert Nation
1962	Oak Hill/Rich Fork	Fred Jurney	Roger Williams	Wm. F. Bowen, Jr.
1963	Erlanger/Park Place	Leonard Rollins	Roger Williams	Wm. F. Bowen, Jr.
1964	Carolina Mem/Stoner Gr	Charles Yount	B. V. Broadway	Wm. F. Bowen, Jr.
1965	Abbotts Cr/N.Friendship	Kenneth Miller	Carl Hemphill	Wm. F. Bowen, Jr.
1966	Thomasville,1st/Center Hill	Bennie Crawford	Carl Hemphill	Richard Chapman
1967	Mills Home/Rich Fork	D. Hoke Coon	Bennie Crawford	Richard Chapman
1968	Lexington,First/Jersey	Carl Hemphill	Bennie Crawford	Dale R. Martin
1969	Denton,First/Summerville	H. M. Baker	William C. Adams	Dale R. Martin
1970	Hasty/Oak Hill	Jack Byrd	Jack Byrd	Dale R. Martin
1971	Welcome,First/Holloways	Melvin Greene	Jack Byrd	Morris Hollifield
1972	Greenwood/Hillside Park	Dean Harrold	Melvin Greene	Morris Hollifield
1973	Southside/Coggins Mem	James M. Lambert	Melvin Greene	Morris Hollifield
1974	Wallburg/Park Place	Dale R. Martin	Melvin Greene	Morris Hollifield
1975	Liberty/Carolina Mem	John H. Pace	Lamar L. Moore	Morris Hollifield
1976	Reeds/Smith Grove	Morris Hollifield	Lamar L. Moore	Morris Hollifield
1977	Welcome,First/Abbotts C.	Clyde B. Case	John H. Pace	Morris Hollifield
1978	Rich Fork/Calvary	Lamar L. Moore	John H. Pace	Morris Hollifield
1979	Churchland/N. Lexington	Jimmie Edwards	Max Evington	Morris Hollifield
1980	Jersey/Liberty	George Williamson	Max Evington	Morris Hollifield
1981	Coggins Mem/Southgate	Hugh Biggers	Warren Kerr	Morris Hollifield
1982	Abbotts Creek/Center Hill	Max Evington	Warren Kerr	Morris Hollifield
1983	N. Friendship/Wallburg	Dearl L. Bunce	Franklin Myers	Morris Hollifield
1984	Rich Fork/Greenwood	Robert Floyd	Brooks Hunt	Judy Wood
1985	Mills Home/Cedar Lodge	B. V. Broadway	Brooks Hunt	Judy Wood
1986	Carolina/Hasty/Victory	Roy Cantrell	Brooks Hunt	Judy Wood

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1987	Churchland/Welcome, 1st	Jake Sharpe	Roy Cantrell	Judy Wood
1988	Thomasville,1st/Park Place	Warren Kerr	Roy Cantrell	Judy Wood
1989	Reeds/Smith Grove	Paul Millwood	Morris Hollifield	Judy Wood
1990	Lexington,1st/N.Lexington	Brooks Hunt	Morris Hollifield	Judy Wood
1991	Denton,1st/Mills Home	Roy Queen	Gary Myers	Judy Wood
1992	Wallburg/Abbotts Creek	Charles Dickens	Gary Myers	Judy Wood
1993	Southside/Faith	Gary Myers	Bruce Hill/ Charles Penley, Jr.	Gail Beck
1994	Rich Fork/Oak Hill	Byron Barker	Charles Penley, Jr.	Gail Beck
1995	Jersey/Summerville	Warren Kerr	Stuart White	Gail Beck
1996	Coggins Mem/Lakeview	Fred Miller	Stuart White	Gail Beck
1997	Center Hill/Holloways	Leonard Rollins	Charles Dickens	Gail Beck
1998	Carolina Mem/ Thomasville, 1st	Charles Penley, Jr.	Charles Dickens	Gail Beck
1999	Lexington, 1st/ Stoner's Grove	Markus Sink Ray Howell, III	Markus Sink	Gail Beck
2000	Carolina Mem/Abbotts Cr.	E. Mark Blair	Markus Sink	Gail Beck
2001	Winter-Coggins Mem	Michael Ester	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
	Spring-Southgate	Steve Martin	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
	Summer-Denton 1st	Mike Cummings	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
	Annual-Welcome, 1st	Steve Jarvis	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
2002	Winter-Reeds	Steve Zimmerman	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
	Spring-New Friendship	Randy Stewart	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
	Summer-Cedar Lodge	George Thomason	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
	Annual-Churchland	Lowell Askins	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck

1. Is now High Point
2. Is now Churchland
3. Is now Eldorado
4. Is now Clemmons
5. Is now Wallburg
6. Is now Randleman

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is concluded with the following

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further information and reference.

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	DIGEST OF CONGREGATIONAL PROFILES FOR 2001-2002 ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR							
				1	Total Membership			
				3	Total Baptisms			
				4	Other Additions			
				15	Total SS Enrollment			
				16	SS Average Attendance			
				18	Vacation Bible School			
				19+20	Total DT Enrollment/Participation			
				21	Music Min Total Enrollment			
No.	**Congregation**	**1**	**3**	**4**	**15**	**16**	**18**	**19+20**
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	820	22	42	473	290	429	296
2	AMITY	88	2	0	41	22	35	0
3	CAROLINA MEMORIA	858	19	14	505	287	398	195
4	CEDAR LODGE	260	2	6	144	69	83	6
5	CENTER HILL	298	1	5	145	73	44	15
6	CENTRAL	107	6	2	62	58	60	17
7	CHURCHLAND	485	2	4	214	117	91	25
8	CLEARVIEW	131	9	4	46	35	0	0
9	COGGINS MEMORIAL	637	6	9	533	179	207	108
10	COLONIAL	284	2	6	153	105	95	10
11	DENTON, FIRST	370	4	7	184	94	112	18
12	FAITH	156	3	0	88	55	76	25
13	FLOYD	108	0	0	40	28	47	0
14	GREENWOOD	396	11	7	196	135	160	0
15	HASTY	240	0	0	29	20	0	0
16	HIGH ROCK	97	0	0	23	18	0	0
17	HILLSIDE PARK	722	8	16	234	158	136	0
18	HOLLOWAYS	201	3	1	113	68	95	0
19	JERSEY	497	2	8	271	203	182	96
20	LAKEVIEW	167	0	4	45	28	63	9
21	LEXINGTON, FIRST	885	5	28	573	282	129	30
22	LIBERTY	731	0	0	197	144	78	14
23	LICK CREEK	95	0	1	68	41	75	0
24	MILLS HOME	1,003	0	0	101	75	0	75
25	MOUNTAIN VIEW	170	9	0	71	50	63	0
26	NEW FRIENDSHIP	500	26	19	228	167	142	0
27	NORTH LEXINGTON	309	4	8	215	200	271	12
28	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	303	4	5	125	77	129	0
29	OAKHURST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	PARK PLACE	509	14	2	398	260	181	89
31	REEDS	550	11	0	273	201	175	0
32	RICH FORK	1153	17	32	891	500	300	385
33	SMITH GROVE	400	6	10	141	91	133	0
34	SOUTHGATE	525	10	14	161	90	108	100
35	SOUTHSIDE	351	6	4	79	65	90	0
36	STONERS GROVE	327	5	12	102	63	86	0
37	SUMMERVILLE	430	8	18	240	141	186	40
38	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	538	1	0	250	120	86	39
39	TRINITY	138	8	7	82	48	65	18
40	VICTORY	90	0	0	77	47	0	0
41	WALLBURG	381	2	1	143	93	108	0
42	WELCOME, FIRST	819	19	19	489	264	347	117
	TOTALS	17,129	257	315	8,443	5,061	5,065	1,739

			23	WMU Total Enrollment				
			24	Brotherhood Total Enrollment				
			26+27+28	Total Receipts				
			29 thru 35	Total Mission Expenditures				
			29	Cooperative Program				
			30	Associational Missions				
			36	Congregational Debt				
No.	**21**	**23**	**24**	**26+27+28**	**29-35**	**29**	**30**	**36**
1	88	109	76	483,669	83,010	9,300	6,875	177,339
2	17	24	0	42,884	1,857	0	640	0
3	133	100	73	559,223	109,013	41,994	16,149	364,371
4	54	42	29	176,455	19,352	11,290	1,500	26,500
5	18	34	0	100,443	10,478	1,300	1,200	0
6	28	25	8	85,246	9,406	752	752	182,063
7	76	51	15	316,196	11,784	5,593	1,200	345,325
8	27	0	0	29,389	940	0	200	0
9	104	65	53	957,542	56,199	17,183	11,437	315,795
10	62	29	38	289,327	28,707	16,071	4,022	754,000
11	37	20	0	217,205	48,149	8,183	4,089	0
12	21	22	15	61,822	8,679	920	550	0
13	14	0	0	29,374	4,084	455	350	0
14	103	69	63	200,327	23,656	5,500	2,500	0
15	15	0	0	74,867	5,953	4,015	455	0
16	14	0	0	4,717	100	0	100	0
17	91	35	8	285,658	4,749	0	1,300	0
18	20	32	12	114,502	26,275	9,767	2,450	0
19	185	141	88	349,401	64,931	20,000	4,500	0
20	5	10	0	51,138	5,592	2,352	440	0
21	150	118	11	905,223	139,037	28,000	7,000	0
22	43	57	66	191,212	24,373	13,787	3,446	0
23	18	14	0	38,559	4,491	458	275	0
24	130	4	0	3,541	432	266	166	0
25	30	20	14	82,677	8,350	4,500	1,000	0
26	41	13	10	360,415	53,263	15,525	6,798	41,000
27	70	57	13	266,258	38,235	22,729	1,200	25,000
28	37	26	0	168,611	12,629	2,160	3,500	202,958
29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	94	48	42	297,056	38,724	19,085	8,022	427,250
31	65	60	26	348,744	65,148	41,412	10,466	0
32	419	69	0	1,329,971	95,223	68,808	6,000	0
33	18	47	40	157,985	21,729	5,411	2,250	0
34	63	25	18	163,262	19,688	7,584	5,903	0
35	35	25	25	231,483	20,481	11,063	3,310	108,146
36	43	22	22	107,979	13,617	7,200	1,000	0
37	46	52	59	170,838	17,948	8,990	2,997	0
38	65	100	0	249,295	19,567	7,467	3,841	0
39	16	42	10	103,515	14,891	4,807	2,003	0
40	12	13	0	61,475	7,666	640	420	0
41	24	30	20	208,852	12,264	5,000	2,000	0
42	119	100	32	655,412	74,338	46,032	12,759	283,307
	2,650	1,750	886	$10,531,748	$1,225,008	$475,599	$145,065	$3,253,054

MEMBER/CONGREGATION INFORMATION FOR 2001-2002 ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR

1 Total Membership		4 Other Additions			
2 Resident Membership		5 New Member Training			
3 Total Baptisms		6 Year Organized			
a-Birth-5		7 Year Pastor Came			
b-Ages 6-8		8 LOCATION CODE			
c-Ages 9-11		A-Open Country		MEDIUM CITY	
d-Ages 12-17		B-Village		E-Downtown	
e-Ages 18-29		C-Town		F-Neighborhood	
f-Ages 30-59		D-Small City		G-Suburbs	
g-Ages 60 & Up					

No.	Congregation	County	1	2	3	3a	3b	3c	3d	3e
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	Davidson	820	730	22	0	2	6	8	1
2	AMITY	Davidson	88	88	2	0	1	0	0	0
3	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	Davidson	858	678	19	0	3	3	3	4
3	CEDAR LODGE	Davidson	260	191	2	0	1	0	0	1
5	CENTER HILL	Davidson	298	160	1	0	0	0	0	0
6	CENTRAL	Davidson	107	105	6	0	0	1	1	0
7	CHURCHLAND	Davidson	485	445	2	0	0	0	0	2
8	CLEARVIEW	Davidson	131	59	9	0	1	1	2	0
9	COGGINS MEMORIAL	Davidson	637	523	6	0	0	1	1	0
10	COLONIAL	Randolph	284	280	2	0	0	0	0	2
11	DENTON, FIRST	Davidson	370	362	4	0	0	0	2	0
12	FAITH	Davidson	156	152	3	0	0	0	1	2
13	FLOYD	Davidson	108	78	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	GREENWOOD	Davidson	396	324	11	0	1	1	2	4
15	HASTY	Davidson	240	181	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	HIGH ROCK	Davidson	97	60	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	HILLSIDE PARK	Davidson	722	722	8	0	2	1	0	1
18	HOLLOWAYS	Davidson	201	107	3	0	0	0	1	1
19	JERSEY	Davidson	497	372	2	0	0	0	0	1
20	LAKEVIEW	Davidson	167	74	0	0	0	0	0	0
21	LEXINGTON, FIRST	Davidson	885	698	5	0	0	3	1	0
22	LIBERTY	Davidson	731	698	0	0	0	0	0	0
23	LICK CREEK	Davidson	95	70	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	MILLS HOME	Davidson	1,003	13	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	MOUNTAIN VIEW	Davidson	170	134	9	0	0	1	0	3
26	NEW FRIENDSHIP	Forsyth	500	476	26	0	3	1	16	0
27	NORTH LEXINGTON	Davidson	309	309	4	0	2	1	0	0
28	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	Davidson	303	294	4	0	0	0	0	3
29	OAKHURST	Davidson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	PARK PLACE	Davidson	509	483	14	0	1	1	2	6
31	REEDS	Davidson	550	488	11	0	0	2	0	6
32	RICH FORK	Davidson	1,153	1,119	17	0	4	4	5	3
33	SMITH GROVE	Davidson	400	332	6	0	0	1	0	1
34	SOUTHGATE	Davidson	525	270	10	0	0	2	1	1
35	SOUTHSIDE	Davidson	351	351	6	0	0	5	0	1
36	STONERS GROVE	Davidson	327	276	5	0	0	2	2	1
37	SUMMERVILLE	Davidson	430	380	8	0	5	0	2	1
38	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	Davidson	538	408	1	0	0	0	0	1
39	TRINITY	Davidson	138	107	8	0	0	3	2	2
40	VICTORY	Davidson	90	90	0	0	0	0	0	0
41	WALLBURG	Davidson	381	353	2	0	0	0	1	1
42	WELCOME, FIRST	Davidson	819	695	19	0	2	3	3	4
	TOTALS		17,129	13,735	257	0	28	43	56	53

				9	AM Worship Service Attendance								
				10	Church-Type Missions Started								
				11	Church-Type Missions Operated								
				12	Lost/Unchurched (Y/N)								
				13	Associational Giving on Percentage Basis (Y/N)								
LARGE CITY				14	Intercessory Prayer Ministry (Y/N)								
H-Downtown													
I-Neighborhood													
J-Suburbs													
No.	**3f**	**3g**	**4**	**5**	**6**	**7**	**8**	**9**	**10**	**11**	**12**	**13**	**14**
1	5	0	42	22	1832	2001	A	421	0	0	Y	Y	Y
2	1	0	0	0	1976	1986	A	37	0	0	Y	N	Y
3	5	1	14	0	1930	1991	F	327	0	1	Y	Y	Y
4	0	0	6	6	1963	2000	F	132	0	0	Y	Y	Y
5	1	0	5	0	1907		G	105	0	0	N	N	N
6	4	0	2	0	1993	1999	D	75	0	0	Y	Y	Y
7	0	0	4	0	1837	1992	A	250	0	0	N	Y	Y
8	5	0	4	0	1953	1998	F	60	0	0	N	N	N
9	2	2	9	0	1951	1990	F	212	1	1	Y	Y	Y
10	0	0	6	0	1989	1998	C	135	0	0	Y	Y	Y
11	1	1	7	11	1891	1989	C	140	0	0	Y	Y	Y
12	0	0	0	0	1973	2000	A	70	0	0	Y	Y	Y
13	0	0	0	0	1942	1994	A	31	0	0	N	N	N
14	3	0	7	0	1946	1999	F	185	0	0	Y	N	Y
15	0	0	0	0	1957		a	45	0	0	N	Y	Y
16	0	0	0	0	1947	1997	A	20	0	0	N	N	N
17	4	0	16	0	1964	1978	C	297	0	0	Y	N	Y
18	1	0	1	0	1836		A	75	0	0	N	Y	Y
19	1	0	8	0	1755	1998	A	218	0	0	Y	Y	Y
20	0	0	4	0	1944	2002	A	43	0	0	Y	Y	N
21	1	0	28	2	1881	1990	F	500	0	0	Y	N	Y
22	0	0	0	0	1828		A	125	0	0	Y	Y	Y
23	0	0	1	0	1787	1993	a	65	0	0	Y	N	Y
24	0	0	0	0	1891	1992	F	85	0	0	N	N	Y
25	5	0	0	0	1939	2000	A	50	0	0	Y	N	Y
26	6	0	19	25	1827	2000	A	178	0	0	N	Y	N
27	1	0	8	10	1916	1975	F	221	0	2	Y	Y	Y
28	1	0	5	0	1939	1989	A	150	0	0	N	N	Y
29	0	0	0	0				0	0	0			
30	3	1	2	0	1938	1994	F	187	0	0	Y	Y	Y
31	3	0	0	0	1795	1998	A	200	0	0	N	N	Y
32	1	0	32	32	1884	1982	G	650	0	0	Y	Y	Y
33	3	1	10	0	1909	2001	A	95	0	0	Y	Y	Y
34	5	1	14	0	1946	1998	F	175	0	0	Y	Y	Y
35	0	0	4	0	1913	1999	C	89	0	0	Y	Y	Y
36	0	0	12	16	1900	2001	A	98	0	0	N	Y	Y
37	0	0	18	7	1873	1999	A	190	0	0	Y	Y	Y
38	0	0	0	3	1859	1999	E	140	0	0	Y	N	Y
39	0	1	7	0	1981	1997	A	76	0	0	Y	Y	Y
40	0	0	0	0	1954	2000	A	65	0	0	N	N	N
41	0	0	1	0	1885		B	140	0	0	N	N	Y
42	5	2	19	17	1911	1999	D	313	0	0	Y	Y	Y
	67	10	315	151				6,670	1	4			

	BIBLE STUDY/SUNDAY SCHOOL INFORMATION FOR 2001-2002 ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR							
			15	Total SS Enrollment				
				a-Birth-5				
				b-Ages 6-11				
				c-Ages 12-17				
				d-Ages 18-24				
				e-Ages 25-34				
				f-Ages 35-54				
No.	**Congregation**	**15**	**15a**	**15b**	**15c**	**15d**	**15e**	**15f**
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	473	56	55	52	11	96	133
2	AMITY	41	1	4	6	1	2	6
3	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	505	53	55	55	16	31	91
4	CEDAR LODGE	144	4	5	14	2	6	30
5	CENTER HILL	145	17	7	13	0	13	20
6	CENTRAL	62	7	6	5	6	6	12
7	CHURCHLAND	214	24	24	19	10	45	27
8	CLEARVIEW	46	2	4	2	3	5	15
9	COGGINS MEMORIAL	533	42	55	68	46	50	146
10	COLONIAL	153	12	6	49	2	22	16
11	DENTON, FIRST	184	18	18	44	17	15	12
12	FAITH	88	8	8	4	8	12	25
13	FLOYD	40	5	3	7	1	4	8
14	GREENWOOD	196	18	20	16	20	15	20
15	HASTY	29	0	0	0	0	0	1
16	HIGH ROCK	23	0	5	1	2	4	4
17	HILLSIDE PARK	234	20	24	17	16	25	87
18	HOLLOWAYS	113	10	10	10	1	9	19
19	JERSEY	271	26	22	18	6	24	32
20	LAKEVIEW	45	1	14	6	1	7	5
21	LEXINGTON, FIRST	573	33	29	52	20	85	95
22	LIBERTY	197	16	19	15	18	26	18
23	LICK CREEK	68	10	9	15	2	7	13
24	MILLS HOME	101	8	10	50	3	15	10
25	MOUNTAIN VIEW	71	3	5	10	8	8	13
26	NEW FRIENDSHIP	228	38	14	28	9	38	28
27	NORTH LEXINGTON	215	16	43	28	4	7	52
28	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	125	12	22	15	0	8	43
29	OAKHURST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	PARK PLACE	398	26	31	38	11	60	38
31	REEDS	273	21	20	23	20	22	45
32	RICH FORK	891	92	96	113	79	89	222
33	SMITH GROVE	141	8	11	21	2	8	24
34	SOUTHGATE	161	22	17	17	15	12	25
35	SOUTHSIDE	79	7	5	5	11	7	10
36	STONERS GROVE	102	5	13	8	1	7	17
37	SUMMERVILLE	240	18	32	45	8	16	63
38	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	250	7	14	50	4	5	39
39	TRINITY	82	2	11	15	5	0	25
40	VICTORY	77	3	4	4	5	3	9
41	WALLBURG	143	6	12	5	9	14	22
42	WELCOME, FIRST	489	47	46	50	66	96	60
	TOTALS	8,443	724	808	1,013	469	924	1,580

		g-Ages 55-64					
		h-Ages 65 and up					
		i-General Officers					
		j-Other Bible Study					
	16	SS Average Weekly Attendance					
	17	Non Congregation Member					
	18	Vacation Bible School					
No.	**15g**	**15h**	**15i**	**15j**	**16**	**17**	**18**
1	36	29	5	0	290	0	429
2	3	12	6	0	22	2	35
3	87	114	3	0	287	0	398
4	36	30	2	15	69	8	83
5	10	43	4	18	73	10	44
6	14	0	0	6	58	0	60
7	17	38	10	0	117	62	91
8	4	10	1	0	35	10	0
9	55	68	3	0	179	61	207
10	30	11	5	0	105	0	95
11	20	21	8	11	94	4	112
12	11	11	1	0	55	0	76
13	4	8	0	0	28	6	47
14	33	50	4	0	135	15	160
15	7	19	2	0	20	0	0
24	2	4	1	0	18	0	0
17	24	9	12	0	158	0	136
18	18	35	1	0	68	17	95
19	26	82	0	35	203	12	182
20	4	7	0	0	28	1	63
21	39	93	7	120	282	15	129
22	23	57	5	0	144	24	78
23	3	9	0	0	41	11	75
24	4	0	1	0	75	0	0
25	10	12	2	0	50	0	63
26	39	32	2	0	167	49	142
27	24	36	5	0	200	0	271
28	21	0	4	0	77	0	129
29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	58	32	4	100	260	122	181
31	40	82	0	0	201	0	175
32	71	65	14	50	500	149	300
33	33	30	4	0	91	6	133
34	27	21	5	0	90	12	108
35	8	21	5	0	65	13	90
36	12	36	3	0	63	11	86
37	21	33	4	0	141	4	186
38	16	115	0	0	120	0	86
39	6	16	2	0	48	2	65
40	10	24	0	15	47	0	0
41	29	44	2	0	93	0	108
42	75	37	12	0	264	40	347
	1,010	1,396	149	370	5,061	666	5,065

DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING INFORMATION FOR 2001-2002 ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR							
		19	TOTAL ONGOING DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING				
			a-Birth-5				
			b-Ages 6-11				
			c-Ages 12-17				
			d-Ages 18 & Up				
			e-DT General Offiers				
No.	**Congregation**	**19**	**19a**	**19b**	**19c**	**19d**	**19e**
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	49	10	10	25	0	4
2	AMITY	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	126	15	27	53	28	3
3	CEDAR LODGE	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	CENTER HILL	15	0	4	7	0	4
6	CENTRAL	7	0	0	0	6	1
7	CHURCHLAND	25	0	0	17	6	2
8	CLEARVIEW	0	0	0	0	0	0
9	COGGINS MEMORIAL	98	14	21	26	32	5
10	COLONIAL	10	0	0	9	0	1
11	DENTON, FIRST	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	FAITH	25	0	0	0	25	0
13	FLOYD	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	GREENWOOD	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	HASTY	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	HIGH ROCK	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	HILLSIDE PARK	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	HOLLOWAYS	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	JERSEY	83	9	12	11	49	2
20	LAKEVIEW	9	0	4	3	0	2
21	LEXINGTON, FIRST	30	0	0	30	0	0
22	LIBERTY	14	5	0	9	0	0
23	LICK CREEK	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	MILLS HOME	75	0	3	55	15	2
25	MOUNTAIN VIEW	0	0	0	0	0	0
26	NEW FRIENDSHIP	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	NORTH LEXINGTON	0	0	0	0	0	0
28	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	0	0	0	0	0	0
29	OAKHURST	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	PARK PLACE	76	23	12	32	2	7
31	REEDS	0	0	0	0	0	0
32	RICH FORK	185	15	20	70	50	30
33	SMITH GROVE	0	0	0	0	0	0
34	SOUTHGATE	69	12	15	16	12	14
35	SOUTHSIDE	0	0	0	0	0	0
36	STONERS GROVE	0	0	0	0	0	0
37	SUMMERVILLE	31	0	0	0	30	1
38	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	39	0	1	10	27	1
39	TRINITY	18	0	6	0	12	0
40	Victory	0	0	0	0	0	0
41	WALLBURG	0	0	0	0	0	0
42	WELCOME, FIRST	93	7	26	60	0	0
		1,077	110	161	433	294	79

		20	TOTAL SHORT-TERM DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING				
			a-Ages Birth-5				
			b-Ages 6-11				
			c-Ages 12-17				
			d-S-T Adults/Gen.Officers				
		19+20	Total DT Enrollment/Participation				
No.	**20**	**20a**	**20b**	**20c**	**20d**	**19+20**	
1	247	11	15	12	209	296	
2	0	0	0	0	0	0	
3	69	0	14	0	55	195	
4	6	0	1	0	5	6	
5	0	0	0	0	0	15	
6	10	0	0	0	10	17	
7	0	0	0	0	0	25	
8	0	0	0	0	0	0	
9	10	0	0	0	10	108	
10	0	0	0	0	0	10	
11	18	0	0	0	18	18	
12	0	0	0	0	0	25	
13	0	0	0	0	0	0	
14	0	0	0	0	0	0	
15	0	0	0	0	0	0	
16	0	0	0	0	0	0	
17	0	0	0	0	0	0	
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27	12	0	4	0	8	12	
28	0	0	0	0	0	0	
29	0	0	0	0	0	0	
30	13	3	5	2	3	89	
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32	200	0	30	100	70	385	
33	0	0	0	0	0	0	
34	31	0	10	8	13	100	
35	0	0	0	0	0	0	
36	0	0	0	0	0	0	
37	9	0	2	2	5	40	
38	0	0	0	0	0	39	
39	0	0	0	0	0	18	
40	0	0	0	0	0	0	
41	0	0	0	0	0	0	
42	24	0	0	0	24	117	
	662	14	81	124	443	1,739	

FINANCIAL INFORMATION FOR 2000-2001 ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR

26 Undesignated Girfts
27 Designated Gifts
28 Other Receipts
29 Cooperative Program
30 Associational Missions

No.	Congregation	26	27	28	29	30
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	396,818	78,010	8,841	9,300	6,875
2	AMITY	28,897	13,987	0	0	640
3	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	430,708	123,516	4,999	41,994	16,149
3	CEDAR LODGE	141,058	35,132	265	11,290	1,500
5	CENTER HILL	87,909	6,917	5,617	1,300	1,200
6	CENTRAL	76,228	9,018	0	752	752
7	CHURCHLAND	142,236	158,784	15,176	5,593	1,200
8	CLEARVIEW	20,523	8,866	0	0	200
9	COGGINS MEMORIAL	295,760	39,879	621,903	17,183	11,437
10	COLONIAL	199,998	89,329	0	16,071	4,022
11	DENTON, FIRST	137,709	79,496	0	8,183	4,089
12	FAITH	52,481	9,299	42	920	550
13	FLOYD	28,292	1,082	0	455	350
14	GREENWOOD	181,827	11,986	6,514	5,500	2,500
15	HASTY	61,528	6,039	7,300	4,015	455
16	HIGH ROCK	4,717	0	0	0	100
17	HILLSIDE PARK	283,592	2,066	0	0	1,300
18	HOLLOWAYS	81,389	8,244	24,869	9,767	2,450
19	JERSEY	267,428	59,261	22,712	20,000	4,500
20	LAKEVIEW	43,899	2,758	4,481	2,352	440
21	LEXINGTON FIRST	764,944	104,581	35,698	28,000	7,000
22	LIBERTY	172,339	15,414	3,459	13,787	3,446
23	LICK CREEK	31,212	7,177	170	458	275
24	MILLS HOME	3,141	400	0	266	166
25	MOUNTAIN VIEW	74,692	7,985	0	4,500	1,000
26	NEW FRIENDSHIP	234,762	122,548	3,105	15,525	6,798
27	NORTH LEXINGTON	227,536	38,499	223	22,729	1,200
28	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	163,006	4,631	974	2,160	3,500
29	OAKHURST	0	0	0	0	0
30	PARK PLACE	233,876	63,180	0	19,085	8,022
31	REEDS	240,571	108,173	0	41,412	10,466
32	RICH FORK	763,225	559,306	7,440	68,808	6,000
33	SMITH GROVE	100,307	18,008	39,670	5,411	2,250
34	SOUTHGATE	152,537	10,725	0	7,584	5,903
35	SOUTHSIDE	110,330	20,323	100,830	11,063	3,310
36	STONERS GROVE	88,740	8,296	10,943	7,200	1,000
37	SUMMERVILLE	128,543	42,295	0	8,990	2,997
38	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	220,262	28,946	87	7,467	3,841
39	TRINITY	87,367	16,148	0	4,807	2,003
40	VICTORY	50,764	4,483	6,228	640	420
41	WALLBURG	173,017	20,158	15,677	5,000	2,000
42	WELCOME, FIRST	388,192	236,540	30,680	46,032	12,759
	TOTALS	$7,372,360	$2,181,485	$977,903	$475,599	$145,065

	31	State Missions				
	32	Annie Armstrong				
	33	Lottie Moon				
	34	Other SBC Mission Expenditures				
	35	Non-SBC Mission Expenditures				
	36	Congregational Debt				
No.	**31**	**32**	**33**	**34**	**35**	**36**
1	4,500	8,001	11,101	6,428	36,805	177,339
2	40	150	85	384	558	0
3	6,218	6,095	20,001	15,758	2,798	364,371
3	805	1,674	2,099	1,530	454	26,500
5	621	865	1,992	980	3,520	0
6	0	990	900	6,012	0	182,063
7	1,599	3	657	1,232	1,500	345,325
8	100	100	200	200	140	0
9	1,702	1,461	4,573	12,464	7,379	315,795
10	0	2,945	2,654	2,015	1,000	754,000
11	200	245	1,187	2,229	32,016	0
12	425	820	995	1,700	3,269	0
13	250	250	250	950	1,579	0
14	760	1,600	2,450	4,822	6,024	0
15	115	603	265	500	0	0
16	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	91	104	2,500	754	0	0
18	583	1,599	2,548	1,328	8,000	0
19	19,516	2,810	12,945	270	4,890	0
20	0	520	876	85	1,319	0
21	17,500	314	1,477	12,050	72,696	0
22	418	948	1,751	2,776	1,247	0
23	355	125	398	960	1,920	0
24	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	265	590	1,530	265	200	0
26	1,061	5,224	14,125	780	9,750	41,000
27	750	4,111	6,564	215	2,666	25,000
28	480	1,001	3,150	800	1,538	202,958
29	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	1,441	2,318	4,780	1,803	1,275	427,250
31	1,207	1,785	3,273	7,005	0	0
32	1,598	2,019	5,799	0	10,999	0
33	2,885	2,387	5,179	1,832	1,785	0
34	0	650	1,452	190	3,909	0
35	270	1,175	2,007	506	2,150	108,146
36	1,614	802	1,686	1,100	215	0
37	975	1,035	1,420	470	2,061	0
38	1,200	2,200	4,859	0	0	0
39	515	1,206	908	5,002	450	0
40	420	2,280	1,854	640	1,412	0
41	388	696	3,116	1,064	0	0
42	3,542	4,037	6,975	993	0	283,307
	$74,409	$65,738	$140,581	$98,092	$225,524	$3,253,054

MISSIONS INVOLVEMENT/EDUCATION INFORMATION FOR 2001-2002

ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR

22 MISSION PROJECTS PARTICIPATION
a-Local Community
b-State
c-US/Canada
d-International
23 TOTAL WMU ENROLLMENT
24 TOTAL BROTHERHOOD ENROLLMENT

No.	Congregation	22	22a	22b	22c	22d	23	24
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	87	25	59	0	3	109	76
2	AMITY	0	0	0	0	0	24	0
3	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	36	18	1	16	1	100	73
3	CEDAR LODGE	6	0	0	6	0	42	29
5	CENTER HILL	0	0	0	0	0	34	0
6	CENTRAL	1	0	0	0	1	25	8
7	CHURCHLAND	13	10	2	0	1	51	15
8	CLEARVIEW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9	COGGINS MEMORIAL	4	4	0	0	0	65	53
10	COLONIAL	62	3	15	4	40	29	38
11	DENTON, FIRST	11	0	0	11	0	20	0
12	FAITH	0	0	0	0	0	22	15
13	FLOYD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	GREENWOOD	60	45	4	6	5	69	63
15	HASTY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	HIGH ROCK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	HILLSIDE PARK	0	0	0	0	0	35	8
18	HOLLOWAYS	13	12	0	1	0	32	12
19	JERSEY	186	150	0	36	0	141	88
20	LAKEVIEW	1	0	0	1	0	10	0
21	LEXINGTON, FIRST	30	0	0	30	0	118	11
22	LIBERTY	14	5	0	9	0	57	66
23	LICK CREEK	0	0	0	0	0	14	0
24	MILLS HOME	0	0	0	0	0	4	0
25	MOUNTAIN VIEW	0	0	0	0	0	20	14
26	NEW FRIENDSHIP	0	0	0	0	0	13	10
27	NORTH LEXINGTON	15	10	0	4	1	57	13
28	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	0	0	0	0	0	26	0
29	OAKHURST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	PARK PLACE	26	23	2	0	1	48	42
31	REEDS	257	109	27	35	86	60	26
32	RICH FORK	225	50	60	90	25	69	0
33	SMITH GROVE	235	235	0	0	0	47	40
34	SOUTHGATE	12	12	0	0	0	25	18
35	SOUTHSIDE	25	12	13	0	0	25	25
36	STONERS GROVE	0	0	0	0	0	22	22
37	SUMMERVILLE	31	10	0	21	0	52	59
38	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	45	22	14	0	9	100	0
39	TRINITY	6	0	6	0	0	42	10
40	VICTORY	2	2	0	0	0	13	0
41	WALLBURG	0	0	0	0	0	30	20
42	WELCOME, FIRST	32	0	1	31	0	100	32
	TOTALS	1,435	757	204	301	173	1,750	886

	MUSIC MINISTRY INFORMATION FOR 2001-2002 ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR						
		21	TOTAL MUSIC MINISTRY ENROLLMENT				
			a-Ages 3-5				
			b-Ages 6-11				
			c-Ages12-17				
			d-Ages 18 & Up				
			e-Other Music Groups				
No.	**Congregation**	**21**	**21a**	**21b**	**21c**	**21d**	**21e**
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	88	15	17	8	40	8
2	AMITY	17	2	3	3	9	0
3	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	133	0	25	12	46	50
3	CEDAR LODGE	54	0	8	8	34	4
5	CENTER HILL	18	0	0	0	18	0
6	CENTRAL	28	5	3	0	20	0
7	CHURCHLAND	76	15	12	2	32	15
8	CLEARVIEW	27	0	5	2	20	0
9	COGGINS MEMORIAL	104	10	40	15	35	4
10	COLONIAL	62	3	15	4	40	0
11	DENTON, FIRST	37	3	12	0	22	0
12	FAITH	21	0	5	11	3	2
13	FLOYD	14	0	0	1	13	0
14	GREENWOOD	103	12	18	13	40	20
15	HASTY	15	0	0	0	15	0
16	HIGH ROCK	14	0	5	1	8	0
17	HILLSIDE PARK	91	7	22	2	50	10
18	HOLLOWAYS	20	0	0	0	20	0
19	JERSEY	185	8	22	8	57	90
20	LAKEVIEW	5	0	0	0	0	5
21	LEXINGTON FIRST	150	15	20	25	70	20
22	LIBERTY	43	4	9	4	16	10
23	LICK CREEK	18	0	0	2	16	0
24	MILLS HOME	130	120	5	5	0	0
25	MOUNTAIN VIEW	30	0	5	5	20	0
26	NEW FRIENDSHIP	41	10	0	0	30	1
27	NORTH LEXINGTON	70	0	26	0	44	0
28	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	37	0	0	0	37	0
29	OAKHURST	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	PARK PLACE	94	10	6	26	40	12
31	REEDS	65	30	0	15	20	0
32	RICH FORK	419	30	91	74	144	80
33	SMITH GROVE	18	0	0	0	18	0
34	SOUTHGATE	63	10	15	0	30	8
35	SOUTHSIDE	35	5	10	0	20	0
36	STONERS GROVE	43	5	8	6	24	0
37	SUMMERVILLE	46	1	5	0	30	10
38	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	65	4	10	15	25	11
39	TRINITY	16	0	0	1	15	0
40	VICTORY	12	0	0	0	10	2
41	WALLBURG	24	0	0	0	24	0
42	WELCOME, FIRST	119	7	26	0	33	53
	TOTALS	2,650	331	448	268	1,188	415

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2003 Annual

"Anchored to the Rock in Troubled Times!"

"We have this hope as an anchor for the soul, firm and secure.
It enters the inner sanctuary behind the curtain."
Hebrews 6:19

Winter Quarterly Meeting - *"The Church in Troubled Times!"*
Spring Quarterly Meeting - *"The Family in Troubled Times!"*
Summer Quarterly Meeting - *"The Christian Community in Troubled Times!"*
Annual Meeting - *"Reaching the World in Troubled Times"*

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North Carolina

2003

January 6, 2003
Winter Quarterly Meeting
GREENWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH
Thomasville, North Carolina

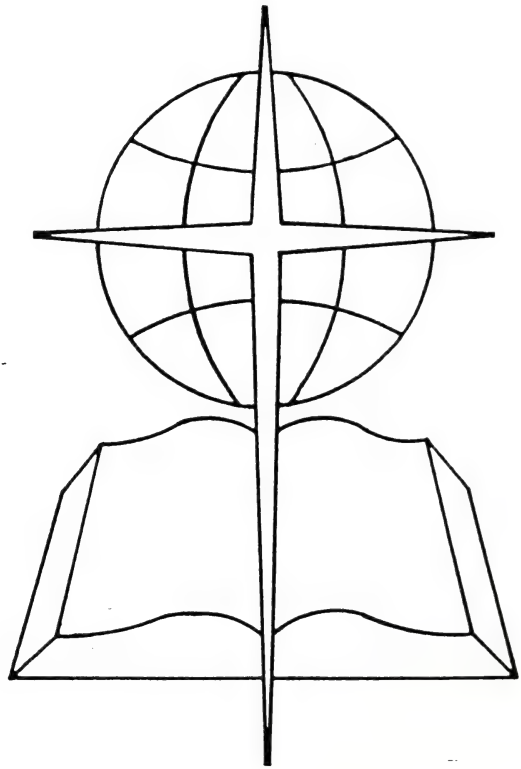
April 7, 2003
Spring Quarterly Meeting
COLONIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Trinity, North Carolina

July 7, 2003
Summer Quarterly Meeting
CENTER HILL BAPTIST CHURCH
Lexington, North Carolina

One Hundred Seventy-First Annual Session
October 6, 2003
WALLBURG BAPTIST CHURCH
Wallburg, North Carolina

Mission Statement:

To be a Spirit-led family of churches who train, counsel, encourage and assist each other in fulfilling the Great Commandment and Great Commission"



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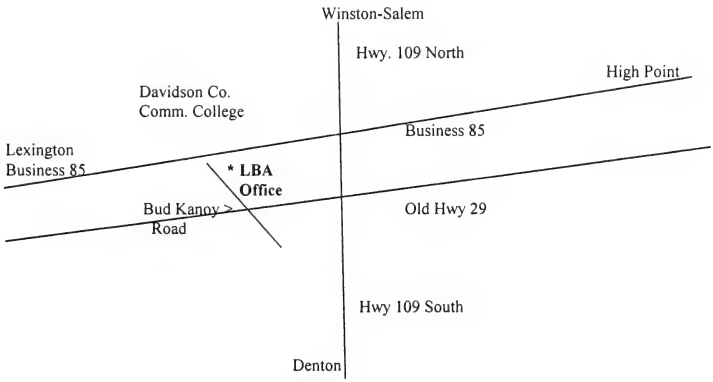

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LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION OF NORTH CAROLINA
CALENDAR OF EVENTS - 2003-2004

SEPTEMBER 2003

1 **5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office**
4 **Labor Day Holiday (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)**
5-6 **Associational Leadership Development (ALD), Lifeway Conference Center, Ridgecrest**
7-14 Week of Prayer for North Carolina Missions Offering
14 **3:00 pm-WMU Leadership Team, Associational Office**
18 **12:00 noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office**
18 **7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office**
19-20 Lad/Crusader Camporee, Caraway Campgrounds
25 **7:00 pm-Missions Development Committee, Associational Office**
28 **Ministerial Education Day-Gardner-Webb University**

OCTOBER 2003

6 **Annual Meeting-Wallburg Baptist Church, Wallburg**
12 World Hunger Day
16 **12:00 noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office**
24-25 WMU Resource Team Training, Caraway

NOVEMBER 2003

2-8 Royal Ambassadors Week in the Churches
3 Baptist Women's Day of Prayer
7-8 **7:00 pm-8:00 am-Acteens Lock-in, Coggins Memorial Baptist Church, Lexington**
9 **3:00 pm-WMU Leadership Team, Associational Office**
10-12 Baptist State Convention, Winston-Salem
27-28 **Thanksgiving Holidays (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)**
30-Dec. 7 - Week of Prayer for International Missions & Lottie Moon Christmas Offering

DECEMBER 2003

1 **5:30 pm-Finance Committee & Auditing Committee, Associational Office**
24-26 **Christmas Holidays (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)**

JANUARY 2004

1 **New Year's Holiday (Liberty Baptist Assoc. Office & BSCNC offices closed)**
6 **7:00 pm-Missions Development Com., Assoc. Office**
8 **7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Com., Assoc. Office**
11 **3:00 pm-WMU Leadership Team, Assoc. Office**
12 **Winter Quarterly Meeting - Mills Home Baptist Church, Thomasville**
15 **12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Assoc. Office**
25 Baptist Men's Day in the Churches
31 **9:00-11:00 am-Mission Friends Round Table Brunch, Golden Corral, Lexington**

FEBRUARY 2004

2 **5:30 pm-Finance Com., Assoc. Office**
8-14 **Focus on WMU**
15 NC Baptist College Day
15 **3:00-5:00 pm-90th Anniversary Celebration, GAs of All Ages, Abbotts Creek Baptist Church, High Point**
16 **7:00 pm-VBS Early Planning Clinic, Carolina Memorial Baptist Church**
21 **8:30 am-3:00 pm-Acteens Day at Campbell University**

MARCH 2004

Week of Prayer for North American Missions & Annie Armstrong Easter Offering
1 **5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office**
6 **Mission Friends Family Day, Coggins Memorial Baptist Church**
18 **7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office**
27 **8:15 am-3:30 pm-RA Congress**

27 **Medical/Dental Bus, Coggins Memorial Baptist Church**
29 **5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office**

APRIL 2004

1 **7:00 pm-Missions Development Committee, Associational Office**
3 **8:15 am-3:30 pm-RA Race Day, Camp Caraway Boy's Camp**
4 **2:30 pm-Associational Bible Drills, Carolina Memorial Baptist Church, Thomasville**
5 **Spring Quarterly Meeting - Coggins Memorial Baptist Church, Lexington**
15 **12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office**
23-24 **State-wide Father/Son Overnight, Camp Caraway**
24-25 **State-wide Father/Son Overnight, Camp Caraway**
26 **6:30-8:45 pm-Annual WMU Meeting & Salad Supper (Brotherhood invited), Oak Hill Memorial Baptist Church, Thomasville NC**

MAY 2004

1 **8:00 am-RA Track Meet**
3 **5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office**
16-23 Associational Week of Prayer
24 **Memorial Day Holiday (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)**

JUNE 2004

Vacation Bible Schools (June - August)
7 **5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office**
12 **Summer Quarterly Meeting**
17 **Liberty Baptist Secretaries, Location TBA**
17 **7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office**
24 **7:00 pm-Missions Development Committee, Associational Office**
28 **5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office**

JULY 2004

5 **July 4th Holiday (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)**
12 **Summer Quarterly Meeting - Trinity Baptist Church**

AUGUST 2004

2 **5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office**
3 **6:30 pm-Church Clerk's Conference, Associational Office**
6-7 **Church Brotherhood Leadership Training, Caraway**

SEPTEMBER 2004

6 **Labor Day Holiday (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)**
5-12 Week of Prayer for North Carolina Missions Offering
13 **5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office**
16 **7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office**
17-18 **State Lad/Crusader Camporee, Caraway Campground**
23 **7:00 pm-Missions Development Committee, Associational Office**
27 **5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office**

OCTOBER 2004

4 **Annual Meeting - North Lexington Baptist Church, Lexington**
15-16 **RA/Challengers Leadership Training, Camp Caraway Boys' Camp**
21 **12:00 noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office**
31-Nov. 7-Royal Ambassadors Week in the Churches

NOVEMBER 2004

25-26 **Thanksgiving Holidays (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)**
Week of Prayer for International Missions & Lottie Moon Christmas Offering

DECEMBER 2004

23-24 **Christmas Holidays (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)**

Note: All committee meeting dates are not included in the calendar. Please check the calendar listed in each of the newsletters for updates.

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2003-2004

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April 5, 2004 - Spring Meeting
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July 12, 2004 - Summer Meeting
Trinity Baptist Church
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October 4, 2004 - Annual Meeting
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Wallburg ..... **Leslie Puryear**, Pastor

HISTORICAL EVENTS

Abbotts Creek-"Old Fashion Day" was held September 29, 2002, combined with "Note Burning," making the church debt free. Participated in On Mission Celebration October 27-30, 2003. Concerts were followed by speakers each night, including our own Chet Cantrell from East St. Louis. Missionary James Joseph was also a speaker. Rev. David Mills was called as Minister of Students. Edith Hood Donation was given to church to start scholarship fund for college students. January 2003, Pictorial Directory of "Our Church Family." January 26, 2003, Baptist Men's Day with Rev. Rogers from Raleigh as speaker. February 10, 2003, WMU Day and WMU week was 10-16. Jean Phillips was speaker. She served in Zimbabwe, Rhodesia, Lesotho, Africa and her home is in South Carolina. February 12, 2003, Widows and Widowers were honored with St. Valentine Day Brunch. March 3, 52003, Rock-A-Thon for children and youth along with WMU sponsored pancake breakfast. April 20, 2003, Easter Sunrise Service, followed by church-wide breakfast, April Observance of "Operation Iraqi Freedom." Prayer services were held, letters and newsletters were sent to soldiers like in the 1940's when the "Attention" letter was sent to WWII soldiers. Fish Fry for missions was held April 12, 2003. Spring revival was held May 18-21, 2003, with Rev. Stuart White as guest speaker. "Standing in the Gap" from Ezekiel 22-30. May 18, 2003-Memorial Day. "Holding up Holy Hands" from Exodus 17:8-2 was message from Rev. Mark Hollar. Eleven members and friends passed away. VBS Kick-Off bash was on June 8, for VBS which was June 9-13, 2003. A VBS was held in Blackwolf, Virginia June 21-28, 2003. Preteens spent a week at Caswell July 7, 2003. RAs spent a weekend in NC mountains on Missions Trip to campground July 11-12, 2003. July 11-18, 2003, VBS mission team at New Hope Community Church, Queensbury, NY. Church had a church-wide cookout at City Lake on July 20, 2003. Youth spent a week at Caswell, July 28-August 2, 2003. A mission team to Honduras completed the first phase of building a new church August 19-27, 2003. Drew Rorex, former Summer Youth Worker, went on a mission trip to Czech Republic, now a student at Southeastern Seminary in the Master Degree Program.

Amity-On September 14, 2003, the pastor, Rev. Dalton W. King, retired after 17 years of service to Amity. His daughter, Patricia Joyner, pianist, also resigned her position.

Cedar Lodge-Revival was held with Rev. George Thomason. Concert with *Dust & Ashes*. Sponsored float in parade in November. Members went to Honduras on Mission Trip, Acteens to NAC, and GAs to camp.

Center Hill-Rev. Lamar Moore was honored by the church by being named Pastor Emeritus. Remodeled nursery, bathrooms, welcome center and entrance ramp to the educational building. Sold parsonage and lot, church land was used by state to widen NC Hwy 8 in front of church. Five church members sent on Mission Trip to Christian Activity Center in East St. Louis.

Coggins Memorial-Employed Mrs. Tina Whitman as Minister of Youth on October 27, 2002. Five Hispanics were baptized on October 13, 2002. Rev. J. J. Rodriquez resigned from his position of Hispanic Minister/teacher effective June 10, 2003. Rev. Helio Munoz came as Hispanic Minister/teacher effective June 15, 2003.

Faith-Concrete poured in driveway. New sound system installed. Purchased new water cooler and new stove. Change of pastors: one resigned and one joined.

Holloways-Started Prison Ministry, Children's Church, Youth Ministries and Senior Ministries.

Jersey-Rev. Morris S. Hollifield was elected Pastor Emeritus with a special presentation on May 25, 2003. Thomas Penninger was ordained as a Deacon on August 24, 2003. Anna Shoaf served on the NC Acteens Advisory Board. On June 2, 2003, Charlotte Cook was honored by being presented the Distinguished Service Award from Campbell University, recognizing her as an individual whose life and works are committed to God and NC Baptists.

Lexington, First-New Minister of Music, Phil Rector, came in July, 2003. Final phase of Columbarium Construction. Lisa Martin was hired as part-time Parish Nurse in 2002.

Liberty-Rev. Benn Fleming's first Sunday at Liberty Baptist Church was October 6, 2002.

Mills Home-Group came from Appalachian State University. Summer Youth Worker was Johnathan Dillon, UNCG Student.

New Friendship-Debt was paid off. Jennifer Hilton & Kelley McVey went on mission trip to Zambia, Africa. Mission Trips to Vermont & Bryson City Tennessee, SWARM. Deacon ordination: Bobby Jarvis, Wesley Holden, Brian Teague, Ernie Whitman. Community outreach: Spring Fling, Live Nativity.

Park Place-Held drama "Heaven's Gates and Hell's Flames" on June 22, 23, 24, and 25, 2003.

Rich Fork-New Multi-Purpose building was completed and dedication was held on June 8, 2003.

Smith Grove-Baptist Men built a picnic shelter. Kenny Lanning was ordained as Deacon.

Southgate-A Faith Promise Fund was started and will be used for building repairs. Purchased 20 new tables and 80 stackable chairs for the adult Sunday School classes.

Southside-Completed Sanctuary December, 2002. As of August 30, owe $88,600.

Stoner's Grove-New church sign was installed. Elected Billy Pearson as Youth and Children Minister. Established an educational fund for Scott Briggs. Rebuilt a portion of Sunday School building due to property damage.

Summerville-Built handicap accessible bathrooms onto the sanctuary. Started construction on a handicap ramp to the fellowship hall in honor of Dwayne Smith and in memory of Mattie Newsome. Held a lake baptismal service. Celebrated 130th Homecoming Anniversary.

Welcome, First-Missions Involvement: Ed & Elizabeth Dawson-Summer mission trip to Philippines; Carolyn Prouty-January mission trip to Thailand; Eric Mendenhall-Summer missions-street theatre on East coast with Adura Players from Campbell University; 25 youth participated in Missionfuge in West Palm Beach, Florida. Average Sunday School attendance for 2002-2003 was 292-highest in church history.

Program

WALLBURG BAPTIST CHURCH

Wallburg, North Carolina

Monday Afternoon, October 6, 2003

2:45 Musical Prelude
3:00 Opening Prayer - Singing of Hymns
3:05 Organization:
1. Constitution of the Body ..... Michael Collier
2. Welcome and Invocation ..... Leslie Puryear
3. Adoption of Program ..... Markus Sink
4. Election of Clerk ..... Raleigh York, Jr.

3:10 Roll Call of Churches
New Pastors and Staff ..... Michael Collier
3:25 Vacation Bible School Report ..... Tim Landreth
3:30 Treasurer's Report ..... David Shaffer
3:40 Resolutions Committee Report ..... Bill Hicks
3:45 Prison Ministry Report ..... Michael Lee
3:55 Nominating Committee Report ..... Raleigh York, Jr.
4:00 Hymn
4:05 Miscellaneous Business
Committee on Nominations ..... Charles Dickens
4:10 Place and Preacher Committee ..... Ray Howell, III
4:15 Brotherhood/Baptist Men Report ..... William Hanes/John Gore
4:25 "The Price to Pay for a Growing Church" ..... Byron Barker
4:35 Memorial Service ..... Charles Dickens
4:45 Special Music
4:55 Message ..... Charles Tanner
5:20 Blessing-Adjourn for Evening Meal

Monday Evening, October 6, 2003

6:30 Opening Prayer - Singing of Hymns
6:35 Alpha Pregnancy Support Report ..... Bonnie Laney
6:45 Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee Report ..... Michael Rinehardt
6:50 Discipleship Training Report ..... Mark Blair
6:55 WMU Report ..... Janet Sharpe
7:05 Miscellaneous Business
7:10 Davidson Medical Ministries Report ..... Sandy Motley
7:20 Baptist Retirement Homes of NC Report
7:35 Special Music
7:45 Message ..... George Bullard
8:15 Installation of 2003-2004 Officers/Special Recognitions ..... Mike Ester
8:30 Prayer and Adjourn ..... Michael Collier

Proceedings

One Hundred Seventieth First Annual Session

Liberty Baptist Association

WALLBURG BAPTIST CHURCH

Wallburg, North Carolina

Monday Afternoon, October 6, 2003

The meeting was opened with prayer by Rev. Charles Fox, representative from the North Carolina Baptist Foundation. Rev. John Gwaltney, Associational Music Director, led the congregation in singing hymns.

Rev. Michael Collier, Moderator, called the 171st Annual Meeting to order. Rev. Leslie Puryear, pastor of Wallburg Baptist Church, welcomed those present and had the invocation. A motion was made by Rev. Markus Sink, chairman of the Meeting Program Committee to adopt the program as printed in the Book of Reports. Mrs. Gail S. Beck, Associational Clerk, made the following changes in the Book of Reports: on page 18, at the top of the page, item number 36 should read Congregational Value. In the list of Memorials on page 37, the names of Mary Floyd and Mary Hinson should be added under New Friendship. Also on page 37, those names listed under Trinity should be deleted. They did not have deceased members during the year. After these corrections to the Book of Reports, the motion of the Meeting Program Committee was approved.

Raleigh York, Jr., Chairman of the 2002-2003 Nominating Committee, made a motion to elect Gail Beck as Associational Clerk for 2003-2004, and the motion passed.

Roll call of churches: The pastor and those present from each church were asked to stand. The following new staff members were specifically recognized: Rev. David Mills, Minister of Students, Abbotts Creek Baptist Church; Dr. David Mills, Pastor, Carolina Memorial Baptist Church; Ray Howell, IV, Youth Minister, Churchland Baptist Church; Tina Whitman, Youth Minister, Coggins Memorial Baptist Church; Rev. Freddie Moretz, Pastor, Faith Baptist Church; Phillip Alan Rector, Minister of Music, First Baptist Church, Lexington; Daniel Smith, Youth Minister, First Baptist Church, Thomasville; Stephen Van Ausdall, Associate Pastor, Greenwood Baptist Church; Rev. Craig Barnhill, Pastor, Holloways Baptist Church; Rev. Benn Fleming, Pastor, Liberty Baptist Church; Rev. John Gwaltney, Minister of Music, Reeds Baptist Church; Robert Lovett, Youth Minister, Smith Grove Baptist Church; Dr. Jay Lambeth, Supply Pastor, Victory Baptist Church; and Rev. Leslie Puryear, Pastor, Wallburg Baptist Church. The following Mission Pastors were recognized: Rev. Leon Trotter, Friendship-Ledford Community Church; Rev. Helio Munoz, Mision Bautista Hispana, Lexington; Rev. Hector Olguin, Mision Bautista Hispana, Thomasville, and Dr. Robert Floyd, North Davidson Community Church.

The **Vacation Bible School** report was presented by Rev. Tim Landreth, Associational VBS Director. A total of 206 individuals attended the VBS Early Planning Clinic, which resulted in 36 churches holding Vacation Bible Schools. The total enrolled was 4,621, with 52 professions of faith reported. There were probably more professions of faith, because the associational office did not receive a written report from all churches. The theme for 2004 VBS is "Far-Out Far East, Rickshaw Rally-Racing to the Son!" Appreciation was expressed to all those who served on the Associational VBS Team. A motion was made, seconded and approved to accept the VBS report.

The Associational Treasurer, Rev. David Shaffer, presented the **Treasurer's Report**. Rev. Shaffer stated that even though the report shows more money was spent than was taken in, much of this is due to the expenses of the storage building. He also stated that Liberty Baptist Association is very sound financially and churches continue to give generously, not only to the budgeted items, but also to special funds such as disaster relief, toy store, prison ministry, etc. Motion was made and seconded to accept the Treasurer's report as printed and the motion passed.

Dr. Bill Hicks, chairman of the **Resolutions Committee**, thanked committee members, Doris Lopp and Rev. Ron Blakley, and presented the following report, which was approved:

BE IT RESOLVED this committee, on behalf of the 42 churches, Antioch Baptist Church, which will be taken into full membership during this annual session; one Cambodian mission, two Hispanic missions, and two churches that will be requesting watchcare of Liberty Baptist Association, and whose messengers are

meeting during the 171st Annual Session, October 6, 2003, offer the following:
WHEREAS our host church, Wallburg Baptist Church, Wallburg, has graciously provided their beautiful facilities to insure a caring and friendly atmosphere;
AND WHEREAS the Meeting Program Committee has provided us with the annual theme ***"Anchored to the Rock in Troubled Times,"*** a most appropriate theme for the past year, with scripture reference of Hebrews 6:19: *"We have this hope as an anchor for the soul, firm and secure. It enters the inner sanctuary behind the curtain."* We have had outstanding speakers and leaders for all of our sessions who helped us understand and deal with our troubled times;
THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that we express our appreciation to our Associational Missionary, Rev. Michael R. Ester, for this leadership, Christian care, concern and guidance during the year;
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that we, the messengers of Liberty Baptist Association express our appreciation to each chairperson and committee members for their labor of love in fulfilling their responsibilities, and in so doing they have helped to further the work of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.
The report from the Resolutions Committee was adopted as presented.

Rev. Michael Lee, Chaplain of the Davidson Correctional Center for Men, reported on the **Davidson Prison Ministry**. In January 2003, the board of Davidson Prison Ministry stepped out in faith and agreed to have the Chaplain's position move from part time to full time. This allows the Chaplain to be available to the men daily and has made a difference in the effectiveness of his ministry. Chaplain Lee told about three of the inmates who have accepted Christ, one of which is now preaching. He also thanked all those who give donations, churches and individuals, who make it possible for the ministry to continue.

Raleigh York, Jr., chairman of the 2002-2003 **Nominating Committee**, thanked all those who agreed to serve for the association in volunteer positions and added that the association exists and continues to operate smoothly and efficiently because of the volunteers. Mr. York made a motion that the Nominating Committee report be approved as printed and the motion passed.

Rev. John Gwaltney led in singing congregational hymns.

Miscellaneous Business: (1) Rev. Charles Dickens, Chairman of the **Committee on Nominations**, announced the following individuals who will serve on the 2003-2004 Nominating Committee: Michael Pinnix (New Friendship), Chairman; Rev. Freddie Moretz (Faith); Joyce Myers (Oak Hill Memorial); Janet Sharpe (North Lexington); and Lionel Wall (Coggins Memorial). (2) Gaylin Huff, Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina, thanked everyone for their participation in donating food, sorting, and distributing. Much more was received than was anticipated all over the state. A total of 236½ tons of food was received..

At this point in the program, the order of service was changed since the next participant had not arrived. The Co-Chairmen of the **Brotherhood/Baptist Men**, John Gore and William Hanes, were both working in eastern North Carolina, helping with disaster relief as a result of Hurricane Isabel. Rev. Mike Ester showed slides concerning mission trips, as well as pictures of the damage in coastal areas and the clean-up efforts in progress. Just as in the case of Hurricane Floyd, the recovery and repair work will be continuing for a long time. Anyone who is interested in helping can contact the associational office. Teams will be going on a regular basis.

The **Place and Preacher Committee Report** was presented by Dr. Ray Howell, III: The Winter Quarterly Meeting will be held on January 12, 2004, at Mills Home Baptist Church. The speaker will be Wendy Minton Edwards, BSCNC. The Spring Quarterly Meeting will be held on April 5, 2004, at Coggins Memorial Baptist Church. The afternoon sermon will be brought by Dr. Robert Floyd, with Rev. Tommy Wilson as alternate. The evening speaker will be Phil Stone, BSCNC. The Summer Quarterly Meeting will be held on July 12, 2004, at Trinity Baptist Church, and the speaker will be Ruby Fulbright. The Annual Meeting will be held on October 4, 2004, at North Lexington Baptist Church. The annual sermon will be brought by Rev. Michael Collier, Rev. Jack Rose as alternate, and the evening speaker will be either Eddie Hammett, BSCNC or Scott Vaughn, South Carolina BSC. The motion brought from committee was approved.

Rev. Byron Barker, pastor of Rich Fork Baptist Church, spoke on the topic, ***"The Price to Pay for a Growing Church."*** He made the following points for the success and growth of a church: (1) Willingness to accept responsibility. (2) Determination to love everyone. (3) Make the determination to reach people. (4) Be willing to change every Sunday. (5) Decide that everything is a tool for outreach. (6) View building, classrooms as tools for outreach. (7) Release traditions.

The **Memorials Service** was conducted by Rev. Charles Dickens, chairman of the Memorials Committee. Names of deceased members for the associational year, September 1, 2002 through August 31, 2003, were read. As the names from each church were read, church members stood to honor those deceased members of their congregations. Rev. Dickens closed with a prayer of remembrance and thankfulness for those who have gone to be with the Lord.

Special music was presented by Rev. John Gwaltney who sang, *"I'd Rather Have Jesus."*

The Annual Sermon was preached by Rev. Charles Tanner, pastor of Trinity Baptist Church. Text was taken from Act 8:1-4 and Acts 22:4 & 19.

Blessing and prayer for the evening meal was offered by Rev. Leslie Puryear.

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Dr. David Mills, pastor of Carolina Memorial Baptist Church in Thomasville, offered a prayer before the evening session. Rev. John Gwaltney led the congregation in singing "Because He Lives," "Amazing Grace," and "He Touched Me."

A report from **Alpha Pregnancy Support** was presented by Executive Director, Bonnie Laney. The organization consists of volunteers, a Board of Directors, an Executive Director and a part-time assistant working together to minister to young girls in a crisis pregnancy, offering them emotional, spiritual and practical support. This is a non-profit, multi-denomination ministry serving 14 townships in Davidson County. It is a non-profit organization, supported by donations from volunteers, businesses, churches and individuals. Services are free to the surrounding communities. Mrs. Laney expressed appreciation to the association and churches that contribute to the ministry.

Michael Rinehardt, chairman, presented the **Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee Report**. All those who volunteered in any area of ministry were asked to stand and be recognized and a challenge was made to all who had not participated in volunteer missions, to make it a priority. The Honduras partnership will be phased out because the National Baptist Convention of Honduras will be taking over the mission work formerly done by Southern Baptist missionaries. Mr. Rinehardt emphasized that the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering helps support the missionaries on foreign fields. Because goals were not met last year, there could be a possible reduction of staff from 5,700 to approximately 4,600, so there is a great need to promote the Lottie Moon Offering. The report was approved as presented.

The **Discipleship Training Report** was presented by Rev. Mark Blair. 24 churches in our association have some form of Discipleship Training, which can consist of Bible Studies, FAITH training, or other forms of Bible training. One of the key aspects of Discipleship Training in the association has been the ongoing work of the Bible Drills. In August, a meeting was held for all churches interested in doing Bible Drills, with 15 attending, representing seven churches. This year five churches were involved in the Bible Drills, and in the coming year, we anticipate having seven churches. The Youth Bible Drills, an advanced level, should have four churches participating. Children's Bible Drills are for grades, 4, 5 and 6; Youth Bible Drills are for grades, 7, 8 and 9. Anyone needing information may contact Rev. Blair for assistance with any form of Discipleship Training and Bible Drills. This report was approved.

Janet Sharpe, Associational WMU Director, presented the **Woman's Missionary Union Report**. Mrs. Sharpe announced that applications have not been received for the Toy Store Ministry and she encouraged everyone to get these in as soon as possible, and also to deliver toys to the associational office. An announcement was also made that the Acteens will have a lock-in at Coggins Memorial Baptist Church on November 7-8. During the summer, 34 attended the National Acteens Convention in Nashville, Tennessee. WMU members have made trips to Pikeville, Kentucky to distribute food and supplies. There were 1,300 pregnant girls between the ages of 12 and 14 in this one area, and many items were collected for these young mothers and their children. More trips are planned to this area in November and December. Supplies have already been collected for the prison ministry, with a total of 398 gift bags to be assembled. The WMU report was approved as presented.

Miscellaneous Business: (1) Jimmy Lawson, Chairman of the **Finance Committee**, presented an amendment to the Budget which was approved at the Quarterly meeting on July 7, 2003. Line item no. 5101 for Alpha Pregnancy Support will be increased from $400 to $600; line item 5610 for Miscellaneous will be reduced from $3,500 to $3,300. The total budget amount of $179,365 will remain the same. The amendment was approved as presented. (2) Associational Clerk, Gail S. Beck, reported that the registration was 261 following the dinner hour. At the Church Clerk's conference in August, an announcement was made that

the church clerk presenting the perfect Congregational Profile would be recognized at the Annual Meeting. There was only one perfect report, but two were almost perfect: Mary Ruth Sheets, Clerk of Center Hill Baptist Church, Lexington and Glenda Bray, Clerk of Southgate Baptist Church were recognized. A Certificate of Appreciation for the perfect Congregational Profile was presented to Hilda Byerly, Clerk of Carolina Memorial Baptist Church. (3) Gail Beck, asked for a time of personal privilege as Office Manager of Liberty Baptist Association. "On September 4th, I turned 65 years old, so I have decided to retire as of the end of this year. Not only because I am getting old, but because of back problems that are not getting any better. There is a scripture verse which says, "God works in mysterious ways, His wonders to perform." When I learned of the secretarial position at Liberty Baptist Association, in the fall of 1992, my mother encouraged me to apply for the job. I did apply, was recommended by Rev. R. N. Hardin, and then began work the day after New Year's Day in January, 1993. Our God, in His mysterious ways, knew that my mother would die on December 29, 1992, and that I would need this ministry to fill the void she left in my life. It has been my privilege to work in this ministry. It has been a wonderful blessing to be able to work with Godly men such as Rev. Leonard Rollins, Dr. Jack Gentry and Mike Ester. There were some rough times, but God placed more Godly men in the right places at the right times, men like Rev. Bill Morrow, Rev. Charles Dickens, and my pastor, Rev. Gary Myers. There men helped me to smooth out those rough spots. When I look back and see all the miracles God has performed in my life, I know He has a plan far greater than mine. Looking back, we can see His plan. It is when we look forward that we need only to trust Him. I'm trusting Him to lead me in these retirement years. I will still be ministering on a part-time, as-needed basis for Liberty Baptist Association. A very competent and able person has already been chosen to be the Office Manager, and she will officially begin in January. When I say "chosen," I believe God has laid this ministry on her heart in much the same way as He did me. We cannot announce her name just yet but I am very confident that she will do an even better job. She will need your prayers, just as you have lifted me through these years. Thank you for allowing me to serve the Lord in a very special way."

In the absence of Sandy Motley, Executive Director of **Davidson Medical Ministries Clinic**, the report was provided by Mike Darrow, Marketing Development and Foundation Director. Mr. Darrow expressed appreciation to all those who support this ministry through business, personal and church donations. This year, with so many people in our county out of work, there are more requests for assistance than ever. Many of these now seeking aid were those who were making donations previously. Even those individuals with college educations are not immune to lay-offs and job cuts. For each dollar collected, approximately six to seven dollars is given in free services. Davidson Medical Ministries Clinic exists because God wants this ministry in this place at this time. Volunteers are always needed, doctors and nurses are needed to serve when they can be available. Mr. Darrow has been preparing a video representing the work of the Clinic, using true stories of those who have been helped.

The **Missions Development Committee Report** was presented by Rev. Gary Myers, Chairman. A motion was made to accept Antioch Baptist Church into full membership of Liberty Baptist Association, after being under watchcare for one year. This motion was approved. Rev. Roy Queen, pastor, and other members were recognized. A motion was made to accept North Davidson Community Church, with Dr. Robert J. Floyd as pastor, under watchcare. This mission will be meeting in the Freidberg Elementary School in the Arcadia Township. This motion was approved. A motion was made to accept Friendship-Ledford Community Church under watchcare. They have been meeting since May 18, 2003, at the Ledford Middle School, with Rev. Leon Trotter, as pastor. This motion was approved. Members of each of these mission churches and pastors were recognized.

Rev. Mike Ester introduced the evening speaker, Dr. George Bullard, Associate Executive Director-Treasurer of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina.

Special music was provided by the choir of Wallburg Baptist Church, under the direction of David Goggin, Minister of Music. They sang "I'm Redeemed" and "Ten Thousand Years."

Dr. George Bullard brought a message based on the theme of the entire year, "Anchored to the Rock in Troubled Times" and more specifically for the Annual Meeting, "Reaching the World in Troubled Times." Scripture was read from Acts 2:41-47. (1) Presiding Congregations: What is of Christ? What is of culture? What has been as opposed to what will be. (2) Providing Congregations-missions and support groups. (3) Preparing Congregations-not attuned to the reason for preparations. (4) Pursuing Congregations-willing to make changes. (5) Perfecting Congregations-recognize patterns of God's excellence in life of the church, do

not find it necessary to focus on the position as pastor, and emphasize those things that best honor God. Churches need to ask what God is calling their church to be.

The 2003-2004 Officers were installed by Rev. Mike Ester: Rev Michael Collier (Jersey), Moderator; Rev. Gary Myers (Oak Hill Memorial), Vice Moderator; Gail S. Beck (Oak Hill Memorial), Clerk; and Rev. David Shaffer (Coggins Memorial), Treasurer. Those serving as chairpersons of committees were also recognized. The closing prayer was offered by Rev. Ester. There being no further business, the moderator declared the 171st annual meeting adjourned.

SUMMER QUARTERLY MEETING

Monday Evening - July 4, 2003

CENTER HILL BAPTIST CHURCH, LEXINGTON

Moderator Michael Collier called the summer quarterly meeting of Liberty Baptist Association to order, and introduced Rev. Roy Cantrell, Interim Pastor of Center Hill Baptist Church. Rev. Cantrell welcomed those present and led in prayer. Markus Sink, Chairman of the Meeting Program Committee, made a motion that the printed program be adopted. The motion passed.

During the time of worship through music, John Gwaltney, Associational Music Director, recognized Mrs. Joyce Nance, who agreed to be the accompanist on the piano. Rev. Gwaltney led in singing the "Battle Hymn of the Republic." The Fathers Four Quartet, men from Rich Fork Baptist Church, sang "Roll On Jordan," "Resurrection Morning," "Excuses," and "God, Bless American Again."

The moderator recognized the following new Pastors and Staff Members in the association: First Baptist Church, Lexington-Phillip Alan Rector, Minister of Music; Friendship-Ledford Community Church-Rev. Leon Trotter, Pastor; Mision Bautista Hispana, Thomasville-Rev. Hector Olguin, Pastor; Mision Bautista Hispana, Lexington-Helio Munoz, Mission Leader; and Smith Grove Baptist Church-Robert Lovett, Youth Minister. The following Summer Youth Workers were recognized: Jersey Baptist Church-Lori Anne Edwards (Mars Hill); Oak Hill Memorial Baptist Church-Charlie Wilkes (Wingate); and Trinity Baptist Church-Trent Sessoms (Campbell).

David Shaffer, Associational Treasurer, presented the **Treasurer's Report**, which was approved as printed in the Book of Report.

The **Finance Committee Report and Recommendation of 2003-2004 Mission Ministry Budget** was presented by Chairman, Jim Lawson. An explanation of each line item of the budget has been included for clarification of expenditures. Mr. Lawson pointed out the increase in the Director of Missions package due the increase in insurance. The line items pertaining to the Office Manager's position have been increased for projection of new personnel. Line item 5520 has been increased considerably to allow for repaving of the driveway and parking lot at the associational office. Estimates have already been obtained for this purpose. There is an overall increase of less than 1% over last year's budget. In the Treasurer's report, line item #36 (Designated Funds), the balance is $371.04 and budget item #5620, the balance is $1,291.12. The combination of these items will be used for landscaping the area around the new building, and the associational office. After these areas are complete, these items will be deleted pertaining to the storage building. A question was asked by Rev. Chris Byrne (New Friendship) about budget item #5101, Alpha Pregnancy Support, and the reason for reduction from $600 to $400. Mr. Lawson said questions were raised about the support and cooperation received from this organization. There were no further questions, and the 2003-2004 Mission Ministry Budget was adopted as proposed.

Miscellaneous Business: (1) Bill Beck, Chairman of the **Building and Grounds Committee**, reported that three bids have been received to repave the driveway and parking lot at the associational office. The lowest bid was from Dolan Piece Grading in the amount of $6,500. and a motion was made that the bid be accepted with a request that work begin as soon as possible after September 1, 2003. The motion was approved. **(2)** The **Committee on Nominations**, chosen by the officers of the association, was announced by the moderator. Chairman, Rev. Charles Dickens (Faith); Rev. Tim Landreth (Carolina Memorial); and Judy Yarbrough (Welcome, First). This committee will select the 2003-2004 Nominating Committee and will be announced at the Annual Meeting on October 6, 2003. **(3)** Gail Whitehead, a representative of the **Crisis Ministry of Davidson County** presented a report. Crisis Ministry operates the only homeless shelter for singles 18 years of age and older. They are also the only family shelter which opened October 8, 2001. Since the family shelter begun, it has been full almost every day to capacity with a waiting list of no less than five families. A new campaign to raise funds has been implemented by New Mount Vernon Methodist

Church in the Midway area. It is called "Pennies from Heaven-Spare Change, Changing Lives!" Large water bottles have been donated by Mountain Spring Water Company in Winston Salem. We ask that the bottles be placed in churches to collect money from August 1 to December 1. The first campaign will run through September 2, when the bottles need to be turned in, then it will be taken back to the church, with the second collection date the first Monday of November, and then again the first Monday of December. Each participating church will need a sponsor, a person responsible for collecting the money and turning it in. Ms. Whitehead said she has been with Crisis Ministry for 16 years and has seen a lot of lives changed. There are a lot of people in Davidson County who are unemployed, people are losing their homes, and children with their parents are becoming homeless. **(4)** Rev. Mark Hollar, pastor of Abbotts Creek Baptist Church reported on the law suit against Davidson County filed by two attorneys, Charles F. Lambeth and Michael D. Lea, to remove the national motto, "In God We Trust," from over the doors of the Davidson County Administration Building. A group called the U. S. Motto Action Committee, ministers and concerned citizens of Davidson County, have decided to confront this issue. The Davidson County Commissioners will meet on August 4, 2003, to decide on the action concerning this motto and whether it should stay on the building. A prayer meeting is scheduled at 10:00 am at the Governmental Building on Saturday, July 12. Rev. Hollar urged people to be there and support this effort. A list of the commissioners was made available for people to write to or call; and petitions are being collected to send to the commissioners. Rev. Hollar suggested that the words "In God We Trust" be placed on church signs, and he concluded with prayer. Gail Beck said a friend had sent an e-mail to her suggesting that the words, "In God We Trust, " be written on the back of correspondence we send out. Whoever opens the mail will see the words as mail is opened.

The **Nominating Committee report** was presented by Gail Beck, in the absence of Chairman, Raleigh York, Jr. This report is a matter of information only, and the vote will be taken at the Annual Meeting in October. Anyone who would like to volunteer for a position which is vacant should contact the associational office. The committees will begin work at the close of the annual meeting and will serve through August 31, 2004.

Associational Missionary report: Mike Ester spoke about Team Ministry and the fact that everyone can be a part of the team in a church. The pastor can not do everything, but with a team ministry, each person can have a part in helping the ministries of the church and community. Help is available through the association and the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina.

The Fathers Four Quartet sang "Everybody Will Be Happy Over There," The Lighthouse," "Noah Found Grace in the Eyes of the Lord," and "He Still Speaks."

John Gore, the Area Representative for Region Five of NC Baptist Men, introduced the speaker, Richard Brunson, Executive Director of the North Carolina Baptist Men. Mr. Brunson stated that Liberty Baptist Association has been a leader in the areas ministry and disaster relief. "The Church in Troubled Times," the theme for the Summer meeting, is certainly appropriate for this day and age. The Chinese symbol for crisis is the same symbol for opportunity. During troubled times, do we see obstacles or opportunities? Liberty Baptist Association was actively involved in all areas of missions: The six year partnership which North Carolina Baptists had with South Africa; the Church Planters program in South Africa; rebuilding of homes in Honduras during the aftermath of Hurricane Mitch; Disaster Relief efforts in eastern North Carolina after Hurricane Floyd; supporting and using the Medical-Dental Buses in various locations; and clean-up efforts after the ice storm in December, 2002. Over the years, Liberty Association has indeed turned many obstacles into opportunities and will continue to do so.

A motion was made from the floor by Rev. Charles Tanner (Trinity), to have the Resolutions Committee of the association submit a resolution to the Davidson County Commissioners stating the objection to court suit and the removal of "In God We Trust" from the Davidson County Administration Building. This needs to be done prior to August 4. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

Associational Clerk, Gail S. Beck, announced that 155 individuals were registered for the meeting, and also that Associational Annuals are available to be picked up.

There being no further business, the Summer meeting of Liberty Baptist Association was adjourned with benediction by Rev. Gary Myers.

SPRING QUARTERLY MEETING
Monday Afternoon, April 7, 2003
COLONIAL BAPTIST CHURCH, TRINITY

Moderator Michael Collier called the winter quarterly meeting of Liberty Baptist Association to order, and introduced Rev. Steve Jarvis, Pastor of Colonial Baptist Church. Rev. Jarvis welcomed those present and led in prayer. Markus Sink, Chairman of the Meeting Program Committee, made a motion that the printed program be adopted. The motion passed.

During a time of Worship through Music, Rev. John Gwaltney led in singing "It Is No Secret" and as a solo "My Tribute."

The moderator recognized the following new Pastors and Staff Members in the association: Faith Baptist Church-Freddie Moretz, Pastor; Carolina Memorial Baptist Church-Bynum Orr, Interim Pastor; Churchland Baptist Church-Ray Howell, IV, Youth Minister; First Baptist Church, Lexington-Jeanne Davis, Interim Minister of Music; First Baptist Church, Thomasville-Daniel Smith, Youth Minister; Wallburg Baptist Church-Penny Holbrooks, Youth Minister. In addition to the new pastors and staff, all church pastors and staff members present were recognized.

In keeping with the annual theme of *"Anchored to the Rock in Troubled Times,"* the Spring quarterly emphasis is *"The Family in Troubled Times."* Gaylin Huff, Development and Communications Associate, Baptist Children's Homes of NC, provided the Theme Interpretation. Ms. Huff provided many statistics which indicate that today's homes are not a positive or even a safe place to be. The church should be the safe harbor and the anchor for families in troubled times.

John Gwaltney led in singing "God, Give Us Christian Homes."

In the absence of David Shaffer, Associational Treasurer, the **Treasurer's Report** was presented by Jimmy Lawson, Chairman of the Finance Committee. The report was adopted as printed in the Book of Reports.

Miscellaneous Business: Rev. Chris Byrne, reported for the **Evangelism Committee**, emphasizing the Hank Williams Crusade to be held at Ledford Senior High School on May 4-7, 2003, and invited everyone to attend when possible.

A medley of songs including "Amazing Grace," "The Old Rugged Cross," "Because He Lives," "Revive Us Again," and "How Great Thou Art," was presented as special music by John Gwaltney.

The afternoon message was delivered by Dr. Vern Peterson, Pastor of First Baptist Church in Denton. Scripture was taken from Ephesians 1:2, "Grace and peace to you from the Lord Jesus Christ." The emphasis for the message is on God's peace for us in troubled times. Scripture from 2 Thessalonians 3:16 says, "May the Lord of peace Himself give you peace always by all means." God is able to give us peace in our hearts whatever the troubled circumstances of our lives. Paul said in Colossians 3:15, "Let the peace of Christ rule in your heart." Whatever rules our hearts, controls what we do! We need to spend time in God's word, trust in God, and allow the Holy Spirit to control our minds. These things will allow the peace of God to rule our hearts.

The afternoon session was adjourned. The blessing and prayer for the evening meal was given by Associational Missionary, Rev. Michael Ester.

Monday Evening - April 7, 2003

The Moderator recognized the Associational Clerk, Gail Beck, who reported that 183 people were registered prior to the evening meal.

Mrs. Pam Deyton, pianist for **North Davidson Community Church**, told about her parents, Jerry and Ruth Potter, and their ministry with the deaf for many years. Because of the influence of her parents and her background of ministry, she volunteered to help with the music at this new work. Mrs. Deyton led in the opening prayer.

Darlene Jarvis, Minister of Music at Colonial Baptist Church, led the congregation in singing "The Bond of Love" and "The Family of God."

Miscellaneous Business: Rev. Gary Myers, Chairman of the **Missions Development Committee**, asked that Associational Missionary Mike Ester introduce Rev. Leon Trotter. Rev. Trotter was recently ordained at Southside Baptist Church and will be leading a Preaching Station at Ledford High School, beginning in May. Gary Myers made a motion that the association pay one half of the rent, which will be $120.00 per month, plus $25 per week for Rev. Trotter. This will amount to a total of $365.50 per month.

This will be paid from the New Work item, account #15, and will run from May through August with our present budget, at which point it would have to be reconsidered. This new work will be considered only a preaching station until such time as a sponsor church can be found, according to our bylaws. The motion was approved as presented. Gary Myers asked that anyone interested in being a sponsor contact him or the associational office.

Mission Ministry Reports: John Gore, Co-Chairman of the **Baptist Men's/Brotherhood Leadership Team** reported that 600 requests were made for disaster assistance as a result of the ice storm in December. There were 1,250 volunteers and a total of 4,500 meals were served by church members in the High Point and Thomasville area. John Gore encouraged all who could to attend the Baptist Men's Rally on May 6th at Union Cross Baptist Church. Mr. Gore also mentioned the sign over the Davidson County Administrative Building which reads "In God We Trust." There are some people now who want this sign removed and Mr. Gore challenged everyone to call their county commissioners and express determination about having this sign remain. The North American Mission Board will be collecting food boxes for the Iraqi people. One box will feed a family of four for one month. Information is available for anyone who would like to have their church participate in this effort. Eleven people will be going to Honduras May 8-16, to build a church and prayers are requested for those participating and also that people will come to know Christ as a result of the work. Ladies will also be going to conduct bible school during this time..

Janet Sharpe, Associational WMU Director, **Woman's Missionary Union**, presented the report. She emphasized the Prayer Retreat at First Baptist, Denton on April 12th, and also the Salad Supper at Coggins Memorial in Lexington on April 28th. Pictures were shown of the Trinidad trip as Mrs. Sharpe spoke. "This trip involved six prayer walks in housing projects. We found an orphanage with 37 children in one house where one lady took care of all of them. Four young ladies from Minnesota where there at the same time to paint murals on the walls of the orphanage. A back yard Bible club was held in a housing project for two days. Flags were an indication of type people. A triangular flag indicated Hindu people, and a rectangular flag was for spiritual Baptists, which were called a cult. We called ourselves evangelical Baptists. If tennis shoes were tied on the power lines, it meant that drugs were handled in this location. All of these were seen in our prayer walks." Janet read an e-mail which was received from the Plummers expressing appreciation to those who came from Liberty Baptist Association.

The **Volunteer Missions/Partnership** report was presented by Michael Rinehardt, Chairman. "A list was sent to the churches earlier in the year outlining the various mission opportunities available. Our association has been busy with missions this year: trips to Trinidad and Honduras, two trips to the Christian Activity Center in East St. Louis, and even a chance to build a house in the Grifton area. David White, from Reeds Baptist Church, has been appointed Volunteer Site Coordinator by the North American Mission Board, for the purpose of remodeling a building in Brooklyn, New York. This building will eventually be a church. There will be a need for people to go to New York and help with this project and this will be an excellent project for church groups.

A request has been made for three ladies to teach Vacation Bible School in Nome, Alaska, July 18-28. Any ladies interested should contact Teresa Smith at First Baptist, Denton (859-4200). Many mission opportunities are available, not only on the foreign field, not only on the home mission field, but on the local mission field by doing Operation-In-As-Much which brings missions to the local church community. We need to pray for all our volunteers wherever they serve."

The three previous reports, Brotherhood/Baptist Men, Woman's Missionary Union, and Volunteer Missions/Partnership were approved as presented.

Darlene Jarvis led the congregation in singing "The Solid Rock."

Rev. Mark Blair, Discipleship Supporter, reported that 23 of the 43 churches or our association reported they had some type of **Discipleship Training** during the past year. We hope this will improve. Special Bible studies, new member classes, Bible Drills, FAITH or witnessing training, all quality as Discipleship Training. Many churches may actually be having the training, but are not aware this qualifies as Discipleship Training. Five churches participated in Bible Drills this year, with 43 individuals involved. A sample Bible Drill was presented with three children from Carolina Memorial Baptist Church. Aaron White (son of former pastor of Carolina Memorial, Rev. Stuart White) presided over the Bible Drills.

Vacation Bible School, Tim Landreth, Associational VBS Director, introduced the theme, "The Great Kingdom Caper, Cracking the Character Code" based on Colossians 3:12-14. Bible school is not just

for children, but for adults also, perhaps some parents of visiting children. Last year 5,065 people were enrolled, which seems to be the highest enrollment for our association. Last year the number was a ten percent increase over the previous year. The challenge is to increase again this year. If we have a ten percent increase as our goal, then our goal would be 5,571. It would be great to have 6,000! 36 churches participated in VBS last year. We need to have someone to teach first and second grade level and the Backyard Bible Club for the VBS team. The VBS Clinic will be held May 8, 7:00 pm at Carolina Memorial Baptist Church. The report was approved.

The Moderator, Michael Collier, encouraged any who are members in smaller churches to participate with larger sister churches in Vacation Bible Schools.

Rev. Chris Byrne, pastor of New Friendship Baptist Church, introduced Hank Williams. He is currently a student at Southeastern Theological Seminary. Several churches in the county are cooperating together to sponsor the crusade at Ledford Senior High School, May 4-7. He will be speaking at several churches in our area prior to the crusade.

The choir of Colonial Baptist Church, led by Minister of Music, Darlene Jarvis, sang "America, Bless God.." A small ensemble sang "The Glorious City of God."

Evangelist Hank William presented a message based on scripture from Esther 4:12-17. There is no safe place outside the will of God, and at the same time there is no safer place than inside the will of God. God does not need us, we need Him. As Christians, we should be living each day as if we are leaving.

There being no further business, the Spring quarterly meeting of Liberty Baptist Association was adjourned with a benediction by Moderator, Michael Collier.

WINTER QUARTERLY MEETING

Monday Evening - January 7, 2003

GREENWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH, THOMASVILLE

In the absence of Moderator Michael Collier and Vice Moderator, Gary Myers, the Winter quarterly meeting of Liberty Baptist Association was called to order by the Associational Clerk, Gail S. Beck. Mrs. Beck introduced Rev. Stephen Livengood, Pastor of Greenwood Baptist Church. Rev. Livengood welcomed those present and led in prayer. Markus Sink, Chairman of the Meeting Program Committee, made a motion that the printed program be adopted. The motion passed. Rev. John Gwaltney, who will be nominated later as the Associational Music Director for the remainder of the 2002-2003 year, led in a time of worship through music.

The moderator recognized the following new Pastors and Staff Members in the association: Abbotts Creek Baptist Church-David Mills, Minister of Students; Coggins Memorial Baptist Church-Tina Whitman, Youth Minister; Greenwood Baptist Church-Stephen Van Ausdall, Associate Pastor; Holloways Baptist Church-Craig Barnhill, Pastor; Liberty Baptist Church-Benn Fleming, Pastor; Reeds Baptist Church-John W. Gwaltney, Minister of Music; and Wallburg Baptist Church-Leslie Puryear, Pastor.

The Theme Interpretation, "Anchored to the Rock in Troubled Times!" was given by Rev. Michael Ester, Associational Missionary. The scripture chosen for this annual theme is *"We have this hope as an anchor for the soul, firm and secure. It enters the inner sanctuary behind the curtain."* Hebrews 6:19. Rev. Ester said he did not know what people do in times of trouble when they have no where to turn. The church of Christ has the answer. Jesus is the answer, the rock, and the anchor for our souls. Following prayer by Rev. Ester, Rev. John Gwaltney led in singing the hymn "At the Cross."

The **Treasurer's Report** was presented by David Shaffer, Associational Treasurer, and was approved as printed.

Miscellaneous Business: In the absence of Raleigh York, Jr., chairman of the **Nominating Committee**, request was made by Gail S. Beck that Rev. John W. Gwaltney be elected as Associational Music Director for the remainder of the 2002-2003 associational year. He will replace Rev. David Crumpler, who has resigned. The motion passed unanimously.

The **"On Mission Celebration"** report was presented by Rev. Mike Ester in the absence of Rev. Michael Collier, Chairman. We had 25 missionaries speaking in 23 of our churches. They were all the way from South Africa to those on a state level. All churches reported remarkable and wonderful experiences and asked when we will be having another "On Mission Celebration." We would like to be able to do this at least every four or five years. Offerings were collected during the week at each of the services. Each

missionary received $457.68 as their share of the offering, and this was in addition to their travel expenses. This was far beyond what we expected and we are grateful for the generosity. Rev. Ester thanked all of the volunteers who gave time to make the "On Mission Celebration" a success.

Rev. Ester asked for prayer for Betsy Leach and her upcoming surgery for a brain lesion. She has been instrumental in planning and participating in many of the mission trips for the association, and had planned to go to Trinidad on February 19-28, 2003. He asked that the trip be made in honor of Betsy and anyone interested in going should contact Teresa Smith, a member of First Baptist Church, Denton. A commissioning service for the Trinidad trip will be held at First Baptist Church in Denton on February 16, 2003, at 3:00 pm. Betsy Leach has been an ambassador for Christ and Liberty Baptist Association.

The **Missions Development Committee** report was given by Gail Beck, in the absence of Chairman, Gary Myers. Mrs. Beck pointed out that each year requests for Cooperative Agreement funds are made to the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina. The requests must be made a year in advance, and this year, the association was notified to make the requests for 2004 and 2005. Many of the funds which have previously been received will no longer be available. Requests were made for monies to supplement the salaries for Hispanic pastors at each of our missions, in Thomasville and in Lexington. At the present time, these funds are pending and we do not know if they will be received. Many of the ministries which have been funded in the past by cooperative agreement monies will no longer be available. Consequently the associational budget may need to be increased if these ministries are to continue. Mrs. Beck asked those present to make this a matter of prayer so that effective ministries would not suffer for lack of funds.

John Gore, Co-Chairman of the **Brotherhood/Baptist Men** requested prayer for the trip to Honduras on May 8-16, 2003. A church will be built and the association will be paying $2,500 for the materials to build the church. Members from six churches are preparing to go. The Disaster Relief team was set up on December 6, 2002, and is working out of Trinity Baptist Church in Trinity. We have volunteers come from Tennessee, South Carolina, Virginia and West Virginia. As of the past Saturday, 492 requests for assistance had been received, and 335 have been completed. John made an appeal to the men to come and help with the clean up efforts. Only four churches have been represented so far. Contact should be made to Trinity Baptist Church if you are willing to help. People are also needed to feed all of the volunteers. Any help would be appreciated.

David White, member of Reeds Baptist Church, made a recommendation that $50 per month be sent to Billy Tarlton, Disaster Relief Site Coordinator, for assistance with finances as long as he is serving in this capacity. Moderator Gail Beck made a motion, which was seconded, that this request be referred to the Finance Committee for a decision at their next meeting. The motion passed.

Gail Beck introduced Wayne Oakes who is a consultant for Congregational Services and Pastoral Ministries Team of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina. In 2000, he spent two weeks in South Africa training the South African Baptist Union in conflict resolution skills for their churches. Wayne has set up a network of people, trained by Dr. John Savage, to assist North Carolina Baptist churches in dealing with conflict. He has also published a widely used manual called "Finding a New Pastor for Your Church." Much of his time is spent helping churches with this training and seeking a new minister. Wayne and his wife live in Angier, North Carolina. They have three grown children and a cat called "Bubblelicious," that lets them live at their house.

Special Music was presented by members of Greenwood Baptist Church, "Let the Redeemed of the Lord Say So," "I Sing Praises to His Name," and "He Is Here."

Wayne Oakes spoke on "The Church in Troubled Times." "Since the tragedy of 911, our security has been challenged as never before. Even with our Baptists, we have found ourselves divided and long for a time once again to go forward and minister together. The church responds in troubled times by trusting our faith, trusting God's word, and by trusting our Lord. Scripture was read from John 17:5-11, 21. We need to be saying there is one Savior, one Lord, Christ died for us and because of this, we are brothers and sisters in Christ. The following poem was written by an 11 year old, crippled by a rare form of MS. Listen to his expression of hope for our world.

We need to stop! Just stop! Stop for a moment!
Before anyone says or does anything that may hurt anyone else.
We need to be silent! Just silent! Silent for a moment!
Before we forever lose the blessing of songs that grow in our hearts.

We need to notice! Just notice! Notice for a moment!
Before the future slips away into the ashes and dust of humility.
Stop! Be silent and notice!
In so many ways we are the same. Our differences are unique treasures.
We have, we are, a mosaic of gifts to nurture, to offer, to accept.
We need to be. Just be. Be for a moment kind and gentle, innocent and trusting.
Like children and lambs, never judging and vengeful, like the judging and vengeful.
And now let us pray, diligently, differently, yet together.
Before there is no earth, no life, no chance for peace. Amen."

There being no further business, the Winter quarterly meeting was adjourned with prayer by Rev. Mike Ester.

HISTORY OF HOST CHURCHES

WALLBURG BAPTIST CHURCH HISTORY

Wallburg Baptist Church has an active Sunday School program, meeting at 10:00 am each Sunday morning. The Baptist Men meet on the first Sunday of each month at 9:00 am for their Prayer Breakfast and fellowship. The men participate in various mission projects each month. The Woman's Missionary Union is divided into three groups: the Etta Teague group, the Marge Bennett group, and the Women on Mission group. They each meet once a month and determine which mission projects they will make undertake.

Children's activities are very important at Wallburg. Children in Action (CIA) meets each Sunday evening at 6:00 pm. The children participate in mission projects, sing, have Bible study, enjoy crafts, visit nursing homes and shut-ins. Lots of fun activities keep them involved and interested. TeamKids meet on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 pm; and Children's Church is on Sunday mornings during the regular worship hour.

The Youth Committee is responsible for all youth activities. They meet for Bible study, snack suppers and other programs on Sunday afternoons at 4:30 pm. They also participate in church-sponsored mission projects.

Senior Adults at Wallburg are called the "Friendly Club." They have guest speakers at their luncheon meetings, four or five times a year, and usually prepare treats for the church's sick and shut-ins. In the spring and fall, you will find this very active senior group traveling around, enjoying our wonderful scenery and having fellowship together.

Pastor Leslie Puryear, presents "It's All About Jesus" each Sunday morning at 9:00 am on WBFJ-1550 am. The following people have served Wallburg Baptist Church:

Pastors:	Dr. Brooks L. Hunt	1979-1993
	Rev. Leonard Rollins, Interim	1994-1995
	Rev. Max Evington	1995-2001
	Rev. Morris Hollifield, Interim	2001-2002
	Rev. Leslie Puryear	2002-Present
Youth Ministers:	Sally Boger	1995
	Tina Whitman	1996-2001
	No Youth Leader at present	
Minister of Music:	Pamela Richardson	1995-1999
	Jim Wall	2000-2001
	David Goggin	2001-2003

Prepared by Rocky Rothrock

CENTER HILL BAPTIST CHURCH HISTORY

On October 18, 1907 a council met at Center Hill school house for the purpose of organizing Center Hill Baptist Church. The name of the church was taken from the school, being on a hill in the center of the district. 41 people joined the new church by letter and 14 others were received as candidates for baptism. The church was a white frame building and would seat about 400.

The following events have occurred since the last history was published in the 1997 Associational Annual:

1997 - Founders Day Celebration was held on October 19, to observe the church being 90 years old.

1999 - Rev. Lamar Moore retired as Pastor in May of 1999, after nurturing and guiding the church for 30 years.

1999 - The Rev. Leonard Rollins along with his loving assistant, Polly Rollins, served the church as Interim from June 1999 to June 2000.

2000 - Church welcomed Rev. Layne and Stephanie Wallace in June, to guide the Church in the new century. In April of 2002 he found it necessary to leave our congregation, as much as we all hated to see him go.

2002 - Rev. Roy and Linda Cantrell began serving the church as Interim in May. A new church sign was erected in the front yard of the church in early 2002 due to the State increasing the width of Hwy 8.

2002 - On November 10, 2002, Rev. Lamar Moore was honored by the church by being named Pastor Emeritus.

2003 - Plans were completed to relocate the downstairs restrooms and nursery, upgrade the restrooms, and replace the carpet in the Welcome Center. T'he church voted in May 2003 to repave the parking lot. A mission trip to the Christian Action Center in East St. Louis is planned for July 2003 with 5 members of the church planning to take part.

Since the beginning of the church it has been lead by 17 Pastors. The Liberty Association has been hosted by the church in 1914, 1940, 1957, 1966, 1982, 1997 and again for 2003.

The church remains in a very progressive area, surrounded by housing developments, as well as many large businesses. The challenge for the future of the church is great.

Pastors of Center Hill Baptist Church

Rev. S. D. Swaim	1907-1910
Rev. Henry Sheet	1910-1916
Rev. B. C. Ingram	1916-1918
Rev. Forrest C. Feezor (Summer)	1918
Rev. J. L. Shinn	1920-1922
Rev. W. L. Baars	1923-1926
Rev. H. T. Penry	1926-1929
Rev. E. C. Roach	1933-1936
Rev. C. D. Barringer	1937-1939
Rev. David W. Digh	1939-1944
Rev. J. W. Dickens	1944-1952
Rev. Charles Young	1952-1968
Rev. John O. Walton (Interim)	1968-1969
Rev. Lamar L. Moore	1969-1999
Rev. Leonard Rollins (Interim)	1999-2000
Rev. Layne Wallace	2000-2002
Rev. Roy Cantrell (Interim)	2002-Present

Prepared by Mary Ruth Sheets
Clerk of Center Hill Baptist Church

COLONIAL BAPTIST CHURCH HISTORY

On May 7, 1989, a group of believers, under the leadership of Rev. Woodrow Robbins, began meeting in temporary facilities to seek God's will concerning the formation of a new church and relocation to a permanent site. After two months, this body of believers voted to constitute into a church as they believed God was leading them.

Colonial Baptist Church was constituted on September 10, 1989, with 102 members. The church was affiliated with the Liberty Baptist Association, Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, and the Southern Baptist Convention. The church moved from a block building on Noahtown Road to a temporary location on Johnsontown Road, and members voted to purchase eleven acres of land on Welborn Road in Trinity, NC. A permanent building was then erected.

After the death of Pastor Robbins in 1989, Rev. Kenneth Miller was called and served until his retirement in May, 1998. Under his leadership, four Sunday School rooms were added, a new Fellowship Hall was built , and the parking lot paved. In 1997, the church held a note-burning ceremony for the original building.

Rev. Steve Jarvis was called as pastor in June, 1998. In April, 1999, the church purchased a 15 passenger van and donated the previous one to another church. In April, 1999, a groundbreaking service was held for a new wing which would house six more classrooms and a Fellowship Hall addition, at a cost of $126,000. The new building was dedicated on February 20, 2000. That upgrade was completed in April, 2000, with remodeling of the kitchen. The most recent building project was the new sanctuary, which was approved by the congregation on May 6, 2001, with groundbreaking held on October 28, 2001. Construction was completed, and the sanctuary was dedicated on August 4, 2002.

As of July, 2002, Colonial membership was 285. Since Pastor Jarvis has been at Colonial, many new activities have been added to complement the ministries already in place when he came. Mission Friends, Children's Church, and monthly activities are held for our youngest children. Grades 1-6 are encouraged to be involved in Children's Choir, which performs musicals at least twice annually. Girls in Action and Royal Ambassadors meet on Wednesday evenings, and the group "Actioneers" was begun last fall to involve this age group in "fun" outings as well as church and community outreach projects. In addition to their Sunday morning Bible Study, the youth meet for Youth Discipleship twice monthly. Other activities are planned by the youth committee. Challengers for the 7th-12th grade young men and Acteens for young ladies of the same ages also meet on Wednesday evenings. For the last six years, teenagers have participated in the annual "True Love Waits" study, sleep over, and commitment Sunday. Since 1998, 98 have participated in the program and 44 young people have made the "True Love Waits" commitment.

The adult mission groups, Women on Mission and Brotherhood, oversees the mission groups for the children, as well as helping to sponsor mission trips to other parts of the country. In 2001, our missions team traveled to Ephrata, PA where they did church repairs and painting for a congregation of mostly elder adults. In 2002, they traveled to Atlanta, GA, where they held Backyard Bible Clubs in several housing projects.

For the past two summers, on of our college students was employed as a summer Children and Youth Director. We also have an active Senior Saints group that enjoys monthly fellowship and day trips to a variety of North Carolina attractions. Samaritan's Purse "Operation Christmas Child" (Shoe Box Ministry) has become a regular part of our fall activities. Several have had the opportunity of working in Charlotte at the distribution center, and many have generously prepared boxes to be sent overseas. Other areas of outreach include disaster relief for events like Hurricane Floyd and September 11th attacks, as well as support for a local homeless shelter. Since its beginning, Colonial has supported the annual Lottie Moon and Annie Armstrong Mission Offerings.

Other activities enjoyed by the Colonial family of faith are Fourth Sunday Family Night activities and meal, a "Pig Pickin" in November, and an annual picnic at Dan Nicholas Park in Salisbury.

The music ministry includes Christmas and Easter musicals presented by the Sanctuary Choir. Various ensembles and soloists regularly minister through song in the various worship services.

GREENWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH HISTORY

Liberty Baptist Association met on September 26, 1984, at Greenwood Baptist Church. Rev. Joel Fisher was pastor at Greenwood at the time of the meeting. He resigned in 1985. This is a history update of church events since that time.

After the resignation of Rev. Fisher, the church called a former pastor, Rev. Parks Harris, to serve as interim pastor. Rev. Harris served until 1986, at which time the church called Rev. David Cox. Greenwood experienced a growth period during the ministry of Rev. Cox. He resigned in 1988. Rev. Isaac Terrell was called as interim pastor, and he served until 1989 when Rev. Wayne Blevins, from Fancy Gap Baptist Church in Mt. Airy, was called as pastor.

Greenwood Baptist Church celebrated its 50th Anniversary on November 24, 1996. The following men, who were called into ministry while members of Greenwood, were invited: Rev. Donald Wagner, Rev. Grady Shuler, Rev. Tommy Wagner, Dr. Andy Royals and Rev. R. J. Hartman. Other men who were ordained as ministers but are now deceased, were Rev. Alan McGee, Rev. Raymond Hudson, Rev. Robert Mabe, Rev. M. T. Morton, and Rev. W. N. Parker. There were 27 charter members who were still living at the time of the anniversary celebration, and 23 are still living today.

A video was made when the cornerstone was removed. Inside was the list of all charter members, and a list of names and amounts given toward the building of the first church. Also included were the envelopes with member names and amounts of offering given. These are now in the Historical room. The cornerstone has been replaced with new information and will be opened in the year 2046.

After suffering a heart attack in July, 1998, Rev. Blevins resigned in September, 1998. The church called Rev. Morris Hollifield to serve as interim pastor, and he served until October, 1999, when Rev. Stephen Livengood was called as pastor. Many important events have taken place under Rev. Livengood's ministry.

In May, 1998, Mr. John Gore went on a mission trip to Oklahoma. In 1999, Mr. Gore made two trips to Honduras, one in February and one in July. Again in 2000, Mr. Gore made two trips to Honduras, one in March and one in September. In May, 2000, Rev Livengood and Canita Simpson went to the Ukraine; and in April and July of 2001, John Gore and Robert Haynes made trips to Honduras. Another Ukraine trip took place in May, 2001, with Rev. Livengood, Mark Septer, and John Gore participating. In July of 2002, John Gore and Robert Haynes made another trip to Honduras. They also went to New York after the 9/11 disaster. Several trips were made to Pineville, West Virginia in October and November of 2002. To assist with repairs in the flood stricken areas of eastern North Carolina, numerous members of Greenwood have been going to Grifton since October, 2000 until the present.

In October, 2001, Mrs. Marion Brinkley resigned as church organist, after serving for 50 years. She was recognized and honored for her long years of service.

Renovation of the entire interior of the church was completed in 2002, with all wooden windows being replace with vinyl.

Greenwood Baptist Church continues to grow and prosper under the leadership of Rev. Stephen Livengood.

Prepared by JennieVee Brinkley and Maxine Hudson.

ELECTED MESSENGERS - OCTOBER 6, 2002 - AUGUST 31, 2003

(The names of Messengers who attended the Annual Meeting of 2002, or any Quarterly Meeting in 2003, are in bold, italic text).

Abbotts Creek

Glinna Bryant
Ralph Bryant
Bobby Canada
Dot Canada
Scott Ford
Mary Gann
Mark Hollar
Betsy Leach
David Mills (added 12-16-02)
Pansy Moore
Patrick Moss
Betty Jo Motsinger
Daphne Motsinger
Hugh Motsinger
Michael Rinehardt
Ricky Robertson
Jack Rose
Mary Smith
Evva Spurgeon
John Sulger
James Williams (deleted 12-16-02)
Jamie Williams

Alternates

Betty Sulgar (added (12-16-02)
Betty Williams (deleted 12-16-02)

Amity

Wayne Fulton
Dalton King
Cindi Lawson
Jimmy Lawson
Betty Proctor
Raymond Proctor

Alternates

John Fulton
Peggy Fulton
Eloise King
Angela Rohrer

Carolina Memorial

Arnold Atwood
Betty Atwood
Dolan Batten
Ella Batten
Betty Bradshaw
Hilda K. Byerly
Peggy Guffey
Louanne Hedrick
Tim Landreth
Jackie Lewis
Kenneth Miller

Carolina Memorial - continued

Judy Morrison
Brad Myers
Linda Myers
Duane Ogden
Loretta Ogden
Sandra White (deleted 12-16-02)
Stuart White (deleted 12-16-02)
Annette Whitley
Carlene Wright
Raleigh York, Jr.
Richard York

Cedar Lodge

Elizabeth Brownworth
Russell Brownworth
Al Craver
Brenda Emmons
Patsy Hinkle
Bill Reece (deleted 6-22-03
Evelyn Reece (deleted 6-22-03)
Opal Suggs

Center Hill

Frank Carter
Roy Cantrell
Brenda Forrest
Randy Forrest
Goldie Hicks
Betty Honbaier
Glenda Mabry
Lamar Moore, Jr.
Mary Ruth Sheets

Central

Billy Sloop
Dora Sloop

Churchland

C. J. Everhart
Muriel Everhart
Betty Ferguson
Alice Greene
Vernelle Greene
Leona Hartley
Tom Hartley
Steve Martin
Calvin Mullineaux
Janice Mullineaux
Nancy Wells (deleted 6-08-03)

Clearview

Bill Freeman
Nell Freeman
Nancy Hall

Coggins Memorial
Claudia Askins
Lowell Askins
Charles Dickens (deleted 6-22-03)
Judy Dickens (deleted 6-22-03)
Michael Ester
Rita Hobbs
Lillian Hyatt
Jose J. Rodriquez (deleted 6-15-03)
David Shaffer
Karen Shaffer
Lionel Wall

Colonial
Connie Burgess
Mickey Childers
Patsy Childers
Carolyn Embler
Ricky Embler
Don Wilborne
Edna Wilborne

Denton, First
Scott Hall
Don Hill
Verda Lewis
Peggy Moore
Vern Peterson
Linda Skeen
Dewey Snider
Goldia Spivey
Angela Talley
Johnny Talley

Faith
Janeth Bean
David Curry
Sandy Curry
Kristi Foster (deleted 2-9-03)
Trevor Foster (deleted 2-9-03)
Sam Grimes
Wayne Tysinger

Floyd
Fred Miller

Greenwood
Elsie Bowers
Gurley Bowers
Brenda Ferguson
Roger Ferguson
Ruby Glenn
John Gore
Judi Grubb
Linda Haynes
Robert Haynes
Maxine Hudson
Carolyn Livengood

Greenwood - continued
Stephen Livengood

Hasty
Brown Baity
Edna Baity
John D. Cecil, Jr.
Claude Eddinger
Doris Eddinger
Bernard Ferrell
Chris Lingerfelt

High Rock
None Reported

Hillside Park
None Reported

Holloways
Craig Barnhill (added 12-19-02)
Jim Beanblossom
Jane Carrick
Ronald Carrick
Nancy Darr
Bynum Orr (deleted 12-01-02)
Carol Sams
James Sams, Jr.

Jersey
George Beeker
Margaret Beeker
Michael Collier
Charlotte Cook
David Crumpler (deleted 12-31-02)
Morris Hollifield (added 1-13-03)
Sara Knapp
Barbara Mason
Becky Myers
Malcolm Myers
Pam Shoaf
Sammy Shoaf
Lloyd Shuman
Carolyn Smith
Harold Tate
Virginia Tate

Lakeview
Mary Flint (deleted 6-15-03)
Tim Flint (deleted 6-15-03)
Dot Nester
Hugh Nester
Mildred Rabon
Betty Simmerson
Henry Wood

Lexington, First
Bruce Hill
Ray Howell, III
Mark Robert Kemp (deleted 1-6-03)
Polly Rollins

Lexington, First - continued
Sandra Wilson
Tommy Wilson

Liberty
Benn Fleming
Harvey Grubb
Richard Wray

Lick Creek
Jean Jarvis
John Jarvis
Eddie Lothridge
Susan Lothridge
Frances Pait
Hulon Pait

Mills Homes
Randy Stewart

Mountain View
John Kroh
Catherine Parker
Clay Parker
Brenda Parks
Darrell Parks

New Friendship
Jane Brown
Chris Byrne
Shirley Higgs
Tom Higgs
Gloria South
Roy South
Jeanette Teague

North Lexington
Phyllis Davis
Robert J. Floyd
Lillian Fritts
Thurman Fritts
Jake Sharpe
Janet Sharpe
Chuck Williams

Oak Hill Memorial
Charles Barker
Sara Barker
Shelby Barker
Betty Beck
Billy J. Beck
Billy R. Beck
Vicki Bumgardner
Sharon Burcham
Gary Myers
Joyce Myers
Marie Trotter
Alternate
Bettie Stone

Oakhurst
No Report

Park Place
Lillian Bartlett
Bertie Benfield
Rodney Douglas
Sandy Douglas
Alice Fallenstein
Willis Maley
Doris Meredith
Brian Moore
Bill Nix
Michael Robertson
Markus Sink
Kent Thompson

Reeds
Alex Beck
Charlotte Beck
Connie Forrest
Sylvia Hanes
William Hanes
Dan Hutchins
Wanda Hutchins
Bobbie Pace
John Pace
Jeanette Shoaf
Ann Smith
Gene Smith
Jo Carroll Smith
Larry Smith
Judy Wood

Rich Fork
J. Byron Barker
Michael Bowers
Tracy Burkhart
John Gwaltney (deleted 12-30-02)
Bob James
Glenn S. Nance
Joyce Nance
Victor Owen
Grace Payne
Rocky Watts

Smith Grove
Jack Cooke
Margie Cooke
Haywood Graves
Margaret Graves
Jeanne Hanes
Kenny Lanning
Sandra Lanning
Ethel Orrell
Howard Orrell
Jim Orrell

Smith Grove - continued
Shelby Orrell
Martha Swing
Alternates
Beverly Dyson
Chris Noland

Southgate
Grover Beck, Sr.
Glenda Bray
John Bray
Brian Butler
Chuck Garner
Marilyn Garner (added 10/21/03
Betty Hughes
Don Hughes
Denise Ingram
Gloria Irby
Leon Irby
Isaac Stowe, Jr.
Juleen Stowe
Hoyt Watts
Kenneth Williams (deleted 10/21/03)

Southside
Ron Blakley
Jerry Darnell
Bobby Gales
Cora George
Esther J. House
Elaine Hulin
William Hulin
Pauline Matthews
Taysha McGee
Ava House Turner
Alternates
Martha Gales
Rocky Turner

Stoner's Grove
R. N. Hardin
Barbara Hicks
Bill Hicks
Rod Huffman
Jack Rafferty
Louise Rafferty
Paul Tucker
Pauline Warfford

Summerville
Brenda Everhart
Kevin Everhart
Tiffany Everhart
Barbara Foster
Ethan Hedrick
Dale Larson
Vaudi Larson

Summerville - continued
Marie Loftin
Larry Michael
Yoshiko Michael
Flynn Richardson
Linda Spoon
Debbie Wall

Thomasville, First
David Best
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Don Ferguson
Donna Ferguson
Sharon Leonard
Eva Nifong
Maurine Perryman
Aldeen Robbins
Anne Robbins
Mem Rollins
Pete Turner

Trinity
Carolyn Cooper
John Cooper
Cindy Koontz
Charles Tanner
Linda Tanner
Tom Tonsor
Mary Waddell
Alternate
Robert Caudle

Victory
Wendy Hughes
Shelbia Magee
Sonya Magee
Jewell Morrow
Phillip Morrow
Joanne Yokley
Alternate
Cheryl Eddinger

Wallburg
Ann Beeson
Catherine Higgins
Robert Higgins
Charles Holcomb
Emily Holcomb
Morris Hollifield (deleted 11-24-02)
Martha Jenkins
James Martin
Clara Motsinger
Margaret Motsinger
Robert Motsinger
Leslie Puryear (added 12-08-02
Nolan Reid

Welcome, First

Mark Blair
Paul Chenoweth
Rose Chenoweth
Linda Nifong
Robert Odom
Virginia Odom
Michael Sullivan
Judy Yarbrough
Larry Yarbrough

ELECTED MESSENGERS - OCTOBER 6, 2003 - AUGUST 31, 2004

(The names of Messengers who attended the Annual Meeting on October 6, 2003, are in bold, italic text).

Abbotts Creek

Carl Alcon
Diane Bridger
Glinna Bryant
Ralph Bryant
Bobby Canada
Dot Canada
Matthew Dunn
Scott Ford
Mary Gann
Michael Gann
John Hedgecock
Mark Hollar
Betsy Leach
David Mills
Patrick Moss
Betty Jo Motsinger
Hugh Motsinger
Jack Rose
Evva Spurgeon
John Sulger

Alternates

Betty Sulgar

Amity

Peggy Fulton
Wayne Fulton
Cindi Lawson
Jimmy Lawson
Betty Proctor
Raymond Proctor

Alternates

Angela Rohrer

Antioch

Irene Mimlitsch
Roy Queen

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Doris Munoz
Helio Munoz
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Rick Embler
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Tim Johnson
Billy King

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Margaret Morris
Vern Peterson
David Pierce
Linda Skeen
Teresa Smith
Dewey Snider
Goldia Spivey
Angela Talley
Johnny Talley
Tyler Varner

Faith

Janeth Bean
Charles Dickens
Judy Dickens
Dawn English
Sam Grimes
Freddie Moretz
Tammy Moretz
Essie Mae Tysinger
Wayne Tysinger

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Stephen Livengood

Hasty

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Edna Baity
John D. Cecil, Jr.
Claude Eddinger
Doris Eddinger
Emily Hushour
Chris Lingerfelt
Dwight Rickard

High Rock

Russ Bailey
Russell Cooper
Doris Crenshaw
Dustin Graham
Ava Shaw
Danny Shaw

Hillside Park

None Reported

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Craig Barnhill
Jim Beanblossom
Jane Carrick
Ronald Carrick
Nancy Darr
Carol Sams
James Sams, Jr.

Jersey

George Beeker
Margaret Beeker
Michael Collier
Charlotte Cook
Hannah Hollifield
Morris Hollifield
Sara Knapp
Barbara Mason
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Wade Johnson
Phil Rector
Polly Rollins
Alan Sherouse
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Randy Stewart

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Brenda Parks
Darrell Parks
Holly Whitten

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Lorene Kennel
Janet Sharpe

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Jennifer L. Koontz
Joyce Michael

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Doris Meredith
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Tracy Burkhart
Ivan Crissman
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Sandra Lanning
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Marsha Noland
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Howard Orrell
Jim Orrell
Shelby Orrell
Martha Swing

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John Bray
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Chuck Garner
Marilyn Garner
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Rod Huffman
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Janice Tysinger

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Alma Buie
Lynn Garner

Summerville - continued

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Marie Loftin
Larry Michael
Yoshiko Michael
Randy Wilhoit

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Bob Griffin
Sharon Leonard
Eva Nifong
Maurine Perryman
Aldeen Robbins
Anne Robbins
Mem Rollins

Trinity

Carolyn Cooper
Carrie Ann Fulbright
Charles Tanner
Linda Tanner
Mary Waddell
Eva Younts

Alternate

John Cooper

Victory

None Reported

Wallburg

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Emily Holcomb
Martha Jenkins
James Martin
Clara Motsinger
Margaret Motsinger
Robert Motsinger
Leslie Puryear
Edith Reid
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Welcome, First

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Annual Statistical Report 2003

	7 Year total 1991 - 1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003 1/03 - 8/03	1998 - 2003 5 year Cum	Total 12 year
Average Counselors	7	7	7	7	7	7	7		
Total Calls	1993	410	675	710	772	648	503	3718	5711
Walk - Ins	403	65	87	87	117	86	76	518	921
Clients Booked since 1996*	576*	449	606	547	642	555	410	3209	3785
Office Counseling Sessions	1661	334	453	444	511	420	323	2485	4146
New Clients	641	94	89	93	122	107	87	592	1233
Abortion Minded Clients	Statistics not available			4	8	10	18	40	40
Decided Against Abortion	Statistics not available			4	7	8	18	37	37
Witness Oppts.	1150	165	181	117	120	69	61	713	1863
Bibles Given	170	27	71	66	74	53	39	330	500
Decisions for Christ	25	33	56	52	60	49	43	293	318
Pregnancy Tests	296	39	26	29	42	43	34	213	509
Support Services * Clothing/Diapers/Furnishing *	1376	296	916	646	1433	1671	609	5571	6947
Transportation Asst.	597	78	77	79	115	95	54	498	1095
Referrals to Agencies	656	60	70	61	116	127	108	434	1090
Adopting Counseling	Statistics not available	23	18	63	29	98	43	274	297
Babies Born	200	60	70	72	88	72	53	415	615

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New Director, Hired 4/16/98 Programs Initiated 1998	Results 1991 - 1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003 1/03 - 8/03	Cum 5 years
Educational GED/Job Opportunities	None	18	16	53	17	15	8	127
Abstinence Counseling	N/A	76	93	134	72	142	165	682
Pledges to abstain (from sex)	N/A	57	81	52	25	34	88	337
M.O.M.S Support Classes	None	30	66	62	83	56	48	345
Teen M.O.M.S.	None	22	86	53	57	36	21	275
Bible Study Sessions	None	26	77	117	175	145	159	699
Recommitment to Christ	N/A	32	30	33	19	12	8	134
P.A.C.E. Client - Sessions	None	0	45	26	4	3	2	80
New Supporting Churches	N/A	2	5	4	5	4	4	24
Public Rels/Presentations Speaking Engagements	N/A N/A	23	19	25	33	13	15	128
Newspaper Ads/Fund - raisers	N/A	3	12	15	7	9	6	52
Volunteers Recruited	N/A	4	10	9	8	7	7	45
Board Members Recruited	N/A	4	4	4	3	3	4	22
Fund Raisers	1991 - 1997							
Walk for Life	N/A	11, 102	13, 520	14, 929	13, 938	20, 478	5,200.00	
Banquet	N/A	None	4,945	11,110	6,838	12,846	15,148	
Church Donations	N/A	14,292.00	19,905.00	21,637.00	24,808.00	24,040.00	21,364.00	
Center Needs Additional Needs, Volunteers & Board Members	Brochures Bibles	Stationery Printing	Utilities & Rent Funds Larger Facility					

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ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY REPORT

Your Baptist Association at work in 2003

I would like to thank each and every of you for making this a wonderful year in the Liberty Baptist Association. Our association continues to be healthy. We continue to reach out and claim the world for Christ through missions, ministry and evangelism.

Missions: Many of our people have traveled carrying the good news of Jesus.

- **The World:** The list of countries include: Trinidad, Honduras, Belize, Mexico.
- **America:** Missions to America include: New York City, Upstate New York, West Virginia, Kentucky, East St. Louis, South Carolina, and eastern NC.

Ministry:

The **Toy Store Ministry**, as always, was a great success. We helped 189 children and 73 families last year. Again this year we need your help to provide the love of Christ at Christmas to those less fortunate. We need toys for ages 1-15. Please deliver them to the LBA office as soon as possible or by December 2. If you can help us separate the toys and bag them in December, please call Karen Shaffer or the LBA office and let us know you're planning to come and help.

The **Children's Home**. A special thanks to all those who helped stock the pantry of the Children's Home. The response was tremendous.

Again this year the WMU will be preparing **Christmas Gift Bags for Prisoners**. They can use as much help as possible. With plenty of help it will take only a few hours. Please call Janet Sharpe if you can help.

Our **Campus Ministry** continues to offer support to our college students at Davidson County Community College. Susan Scarboro, a teacher and member at Park Place Baptist Church, oversees this ministry. Susan does a wonderful job. She loves these students and keeps up with them after they leave. These students will never forget their experiences at DCCC or Susan, or "Ms. Scarboro," as they call her.

Our **Senior Adult Ministry** is one of the best in the state. Almost 200 attended our Spring Fling at Welcome First this spring. It was inspiring and inspirational.

Bible Drills continue to be a valuable asset in Bible memorization. If you have never been to an association level event, you should go once. It will amaze and impress you. The talent these children possess is inspiring.

Rev. Roy Queen is overseeing a project called **"Hopebuilders"** to build a house for a needy family in eastern NC. During September, one group went down, and we hope to have another group going very soon. If you church is interested in help, please call Roy.

Our own **David and Sharon White** have moved to Brooklyn, NY. They were featured in this quarters, "On Site," magazine. They are remodeling an inner city church. The work will take about one year. David tells us he needs more work groups. For more details call the LBA office.

Evangelism:

Our Evangelism Committee was very energetic this year. One of the best events was the **Fair Ground Ministry.** A different church hosted the booth each night. Events included face painting, giving balloons, and giving free water. Tracts, literature and Bibles were available for free. A special thanks to New Friendship, Jersey, Holloways, Smith Grove, and Wallburg.

The Evangelism Committee also oversaw the, **"Community Crusade,"** this spring with Rev. Hank Williams. There was a great turnout of teens. Many young people made decisions for Jesus. It was outstanding.

Mike Lee continues to do an outstanding work at the **Davidson Correctional Center for Men.** Some of our churches are personally involved in ministering to the inmates. If your Brotherhood would like to consider this ministry, please call Mike at 249-7528. Mike is also available to speak

at your church.

✞ A special thanks to the **VBS Committee.** We truly have one of the best clinics anywhere. The clinic trains leaders to how to have a successful VBS. Ideas are exchanged and everyone goes away excited about the possibilities.

✞ We currently have **five mission churches. North Davidson, Friendship Ledford, Cambodian, Mision Bautista Hispana, Thomasville, and Lexington.** These churches are helping us to reach out to the unchurched in our area.

✞ The **Missions Development Committee** meets regularly to discover new mission projects for our area. They coordinate the existing work and develop new work, often in connection with denominational personnel.

2004 GOALS AND PLANS

WMU and Brotherhood Salad Supper will be held at Oak Hill Memorial, April, 26, 2004, at 6:30 PM. Speakers will be Phillis and Bob Foy. Make plans to be part of the fellowship. For more information call Janet Sharp.

The WMU, Brotherhood, R.A's, and G.A.'s leaders stand ready to assist your church in starting or reviving your mission groups. Give us a call, we will help steer you to the right person.

Jesus Video Project in spring of 2004 to deliver the "Jesus" film into every home in our area. This will cost $2.25 per copy. We are asking churches to consider making a donation to help cover this expense. Other opportunities for ministry in the new year include, truck stop ministry, singles ministry, new work, and apartment ministry.

The task of the associational staff is to assist our churches in being more effective and working together as a team. We stay busy assisting churches with consultation, information, and networking opportunities. The association, like the church, continues to search for the necessary adjustments to be effective in our changing world. The hurried lifestyle of volunteers, the busy schedule of member churches, makes it increasingly difficult for folks to give time to an organization like the association. We are very fortunate that folks step forward to serve beyond their local church.

Pastors and staff continue to find their ministry more stressful. Forced resignations and unhappy relationships with churches steal some of the joy from ministry. The unrealistic expectations of members, coupled with the changing face of the church and world, make ministry much more complicated than it has been. Fellowship, a primary function of the association in days past, is no longer a priority for pastors in a time when they increasingly need the support of a larger group. This becomes frustrating to me when I see pastors floundering, often with little or no support system from their peers.

The association will continue to focus on missions and ministry. It is my belief that this is increasingly the priority of the member churches and will continue to keep us together in spirit. We will enter a time of strategy planning in 2004. It will point us in the direction of the future.

Thanks for allowing me to be your Associational Missionary. I realize I have but one function– to help churches minister effectively and work together. Let me know if I can help.

Mike Ester

AUDITING COMMITTEE REPORT

The financial records and books of Liberty Baptist Association have been reviewed and examined by the Auditing Committee for fiscal year 2002-2003 and found to be accurate and in good order, in keeping with normally accepted accounting practices. We wish to commend our treasurer, David Shaffer, for a job well done.

Raleigh York, Jr., Chairman
Mildred Love
Paul Tucker

BROTHERHOOD/BAPTIST MEN ANNUAL REPORT

The 2002-2003 Associational year as been one of the busiest for the Brotherhood and Baptist Men. In the aftermath of the ice storm of December, 2002, there were 600 requests for assistance to clear away limbs, brush and debris. This was accomplished with a total of 1,250 volunteers. A total of 4,500 meals were served by church members in the High Point and Thomasville area.

Many roofs were replaced on homes, steps and decks were built, and we lost count of the number of handicap ramps which have been built.

Our state, along with Virginia, and parts of South Carolina were hit hard by Hurricane Isabel. We gained a lot of experience while working in eastern North Carolina after Hurricane Floyd, so were able to put this knowledge and skills to work again. The Brotherhood and Baptist Men from our association and will be going to work in these areas on a regular basis and need the help of anyone who is able to go.

We have appealed to the people of our association many times, asking that you give whatever time you have to assist with Handyman Ministry or disaster relief. The blessings received will far outweigh the discomforts....just knowing you were able to help someone in need is a feeling you will never forget.

This year, we saw one of our own, David White, accept a position with the North American Mission Board. He and his wife, Sharon, are on the field in New York reconstructing a building which will be a place of housing for those who come to serve on this mission field.

John Gore, Co-Chairman
Williams Hanes, Co-Chairman

Christian Activity Center

Rev. Chet Cantrell *540 North Sixth St.* *Center: (618) 5615*
Director *East St. Louis, IL 62201* *Web Site: www.cacesl.org*

Greetings from the Christian Activity Center! Thank you for your help and support this year. We are grateful for the partnerships that make this ministry possible. Because of you, children have opportunities otherwise unavailable them, they are fed, clothed, and have a place where they can experience love and hope.

This quarter included our summer programs that we felt to be highly successful in terms of ministry. Starting with the first week in June, we held a series of day camps, which included the Missouri Crusaders who hosted basketball, cheerleading, and volleyball clinics for the first two weeks of programming. During this time we also hosted two other visiting mission groups who led in games, concerts, and "backyard Bible School" type programming. After our sports camps, we had our first VBS, followed by Camp Penuel. One hundred and twenty elementary children attended this camp, with staff from North Carolina and Missouri assisting as counselors. During the remainder of the summer, we had back-to-back mission groups who led in a variety of day camp programs that were well received and proved to be effective. Eighty teenagers attended Kids Across America camp th last week of July and our Back to School event, led by our State WMU Mission Market team, was again very successful. Fifty participated in our Women's Day event, over 500 school kits were distributed and close to two hundred families were served during the yard sale. The Mission Market Place team always does such a fantastic job and we are forever indebted to WMU!

Also during the summer, regular programs took place for children and youth. Our summer institute of learning was well attended, and many children took advantage of this summer school type schedule, working on reading, writing, and math skills through the various classes offered. Health education ministries continued and the clinic days were well attended. The last week of August, twenty-three children were seen in the clinic for back to school physicals, shots, as well as other needs being met through this program. Numerous field trips were offered, and regular classes such as Men of Honor, Girl Talk, and Kids for Christ continued. Our teen bible study groups were well attended as were Friday worship for elementary children.

One highlight of the summer was our first annual World Changer event. Utilizing the facilities of Belleville West (old campus) for housing, 261 students and adults worked in East St. Louis renovating housing. While there is still some work to be finished, we felt overall this event was successful and appreciate the hard work of our churches that hosted the work teams with such loving care. We also say an extra "thank you" to Westview Church who allowed their facility to be used each night for the worship services. We are going to attempt this again next year, with the scheduled week for World Changers being July 24 through August 1, 2004.

For long term planning, we are already looking at next summer's schedule. We welcome mission groups who want to serve during this time. The week of June 23-27, we need adults (age 18 and above) to serve as camp counselors. We will take around 120 elementary children to Camp Penuel that week and while the camp does the programs, we need people to be cabin counselors. Responsibilities include getting children from program to program on time, nighttime cabin devotions, helping kids with life lessons associated with personal hygiene, taking care of their "stuff," and basically being a parent for a small group of children all week. We usually leave the Center around 1:00 on Monday and return by lunchtime on Friday. There is no cost involved with being a counselor apart from transportation to the Center.

Our second special summer request has to do with the World Changers project on July 27 through August 3. We need at least five people with trucks to serve as supply runners that week to ensure that the material flow goes smoothly from store to site. We also need a small team of siding specialists who can assist with the trim work so the students can work more quickly and efficiently. If anyone is interested in these two crews, contact Chet at the Christian Activity Center for arrangements.

Again, thank you for your help and support. Check out our website at www.cacesl.org

May God bless you now and always.

D. Chet Cantrell, Director

COOPERATIVE COMMUNITY MINISTRY

"Caring in Crisis"

"The vision of the Cooperative Community Ministry is to provide for legitimate, immediate, emergency needs of Thomasville are citizens relating to health, food, housing, transportation, and clothing, with the foal of moving them toward self-sufficiency."

The following are comparisons from January through November:

	2002	2003	Increase
Clients seeking assistance	2031	2395	364
Clients - food assistance	3182	4070	888
Food Value	$44,411	$47,891	$3,480
Clients - non-food (clothes, etc.)	316	406	90
Non-food value	$ 4,134	$ 5,234	$1,100
Clients - Financial assistance	1193	1638	445
Financial assistance amount	$32,726	$36,372	$3,646
Total receiving assistance	4,375	5990	1615
Total Amount	$83,460	$91,990	$8,530

Aurelia Sink
Director

CRISIS MINISTRY OF DAVIDSON COUNTY

Mission Statement

"In keeping with the teachings of Jesus Christ, to minister to people in His name, and through our Christian perspective, we, the members of Crisis Ministry of Davidson County, have united to extend our love, care, and concern to people in great need of basis resources. Specifically, the purpose of this organization will be to serve as a source of temporary financial help for individuals or families in crisis, or who need emergency aid, and to provide a shelter for the homeless and food for the hungry. We intend to work with other agencies in a cooperative effort to help people obtain basis needs. We will provide referral services for those whose need is beyond the scope of this agency.

This nondenominational organization will serve as an extension of participating churches through direct assistance, counseling, and referral services, and if possible, to enable those who are in need to move toward relative independence, reducing the recurrence of crisis. This organization shall assist people on the basis of need according to eligibility criteria, irrespective of race, ethnic background, age, sex, or religious convictions."

We appreciate the generosity and thoughtfulness to our ministry. In 2002, we were able to assist 5,222 people with food, rent, utilities, medicine, clothing, burial, gas, bus tickets and fuel oil.

Our shelter provided 11,821 nights of shelter and meals for homeless men, women and families. This is a wonderful service to people who have no place to call home. Just imagine being burned out and knowing you have a place to live, or being in the cold all day, and knowing that you can go inside a building that is warm - have a hot meal - take a hot shower - sleep in a nice bed.

On behalf of those your donation has helped, Thank You!

Gayle Whitehead
Executive Director

DAVIDSON MEDICAL MINISTRIES CLINIC REPORT

To call the days in which we live "troubled" is perhaps an understatement, especially in our county and surrounding areas. It feels like everyday we hear of another plant closing, people finding out that the company has dropped their insurance, being told jobs that do become available are temporary and provide no benefits. They have to tell their children they can't afford college this year, the house and car they could afford a year ago is being fore closed and that they are filing bankruptcy. Our crime rate begins to go up along with abuse , neglect and mental health issues. People began to feel like no one cares, that their "hope" is gone. And if God is so good then why are bad things happening?

As Christians we have a wonderful opportunity to show those that are hurting, sick, and hopeless that there is someone who loves and cares about them. That God has not forsaken them and that he has a plan for their lives. We cannot promise them a job or that they won't loose their car, but we can promise them that we care and that we are doing something to help in their time of need.

Davidson Medical Ministries is one such place where the church can make a significant impact on the lives of these people in need. By keeping or doors open in a time of crisis, by seeking to find ways to expand and not "cut back" due to tough economic times we can make a difference in peoples lives. We can give hope to the hopeless. We have an opportunity to provide healing both physically and spiritually.

Medical services to the person with high blood pressure or diabetes who can no longer go to their regular doctor because they lost their job and their insurance can be seen and get their medications while they look for work. Dental services to people who have never felt like they could afford regular ongoing dental care and now they have an abscess and severe pain and can't work even at the temporary job until they can get their abscess treated and their tooth pulled. Pharmacy services for those seen in medical and dental clinics along with seniors who only have Medicare and Social Security and their medications cost half to two thirds of their monthly income and they have no savings or retirement. Those are the things that happen inside the door at DMMC.

Reality sets in when we realize that there are 15,000 uninsured people in Davidson County and only approximately 10% can get into our already limited and overflowing clinics. People who need help far outweigh the people who are available to provide it.

So what do we do?

- We encourage people to volunteer their time to help provide the needed services.
- We ask churches, businesses and individuals to make DMMC a part of their charitable giving. To sacrifice in a time where it takes every dime you have to make ends meet, but you are still more fortunate than so many more.
- We pray for miracles that God will bless our efforts and stretch our resources.
- We believe that what we are doing is part of God's plan and that he will charge His people with the task of meeting our needs so that we in turn can help others.

So what can you do?

- You can volunteer to work at DMMC.
- You can encourage your doctors, dentists and pharmacists to volunteer and ask them why if they don't.
- You can challenge your church and the association to continue to give sacrificially throughout the year.
- You can give through the United Way, because a portion or all of your designated gifts comes to DMMC.
- You can pray for God's blessings, His strength and endurance
- You can donate a meal for our volunteers through your church or civic group.
- You can volunteer to do a bible study in our chapel to offer spiritual healing.
- You can do something!

So what are the results of people helping people through DMMC?

- 30,750 prescriptions were filled in 2002 and over 35,000 will be filled in 2003.
- $3.5 million dollars in "free" services were provided in 2002 and we expect to go over $4million in 2003.
- 150 volunteers donated 8,500 hours in 2002. We need that plus more in 2003 and 2004.
- For every $1 that was donated $6 in services were provided.
- 1,500 people received help in 2002. We hope to go well over 2,000 for this coming year.

People in need, need to know that others care. Help us bring "Hope and Healing" to our community by providing basic medical, dental and pharmacy services.

Respectfully submitted:
Sandy Motley, Executive Director

DAVIDSON PRISON MINISTRY

Davidson Prison Ministry wants to thank the member of Liberty Baptist Association for the many years of support and assistance given to the men "behind the fences" and those who work with them on a regular basis. If not for your prayers and "hands-on" approach, this ministry would be severely handicapped in its efforts to reach out with the message of a loving God to those who are incarcerated at the Davidson Correctional Center.

You have supported us in many different and sundry ways - prayers, financial considerations, Seminary Extension, Christmas gift bags, and baked goodies for the Christmas celebration. Many of your member churches support us with regular gifts through their mission budgets. Each gift is a manifestation and an incarnation of God's great love and grace. May I suggest several ways that you can support us this coming church year:

- Prayers
- Increasing your financial support to help us as we start our second year with a FULL TIME Chaplain
- Donations given in "memory of" or "in honor of" loved ones - great Christmas present for the Christian who has everything they need.
- Participate in Yard Sale fundraisers.
- Christmas cards or other cards to be given to inmates - preferably those with a spiritual theme.
- Home baked goodies (pies, cakes, cookies, candies) for the Christmas Celebration in December.
- Financial support for the WMU project for Christmas bags for Davidson Correctional Center for Men and North Piedmont Correctional Center for Women.

Again, let me thank you for your support and "never cease to pray for those in prison" and those who minister to them in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ!

Chaplain Mike Lee

DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING REPORT FOR 2002-2003

It was a delight serving as the Discipleship Training representative for Liberty Baptist Association during the 2002-2003 year, along with Stuart White, who had to relinquish this position due to beginning a new ministry our of our association in January. We both shared a strong belief that discipleship is a crucial part of the Christian life and that the Lord has given the assignment to every church to help equip believers for the work of ministry.

I enjoy keeping up with all of the discipleship training materials available through Lifeway, and I encourage all of our churches to take advantage of these tremendous resources to meet the needs of your members in Christian growth. Twenty-four churches in our association reported some type of discipleship training this church year. That is commendable, but I trust that even more of our churches will engage in training this next year. Please let me know if I can be of any assistance with any church's discipleship training program.

We started the year with a Bible Drills rally at Jersey on September 16. Bible Drills has proven to be the strongest part of Discipleship Training over the past few years. From one church having the drills back in 1999, we have grown to as many as six churches having the drills. This past year five churches participated: Abbotts Creek, Carolina Memorial, Jersey, Trinity and Welcome First.

A total of 43 youth and children took part in their church's drills in March, with 40 of these advancing to the associational drill held at Abbotts Creek on March 30. Of these, 36 qualified for the state drills, which were conducted at Calvary Baptist Church in Winston-Salem, April 25-26.

A further study of the drills shows that at the associational drills, we had 29 in the Children's Drill (grades 4-6) and 11 in the Youth Drill (grades 7-9). 21 took part in the KJV drill while 19 were in the NIV drill. 31 of our drillers were declared winners at the state level. Two of the children's state winners were recognized as three-time state winners: Kevin Calhoun and Liz Nicholson from Welcome First. Two of our youth state winners advanced to the state finalist drills: Rebekah Hollar from Abbotts Creek and Johnny Campbell from Carolina Memorial. Also, Laura Hollar from Abbotts Creek, received recognition as a six-year winner on the state level.

A Bible Drills rally for the 2003-2004 year was held at Welcome First on August 18, with two new churches represented. Since then, two more churches have indicated plans to begin Bible Drills, so we are excited about what lies in store for this next year.

Respectfully submitted,
Mark Blair, Discipleship Training Representative

EVANGELISM COMMITTEE REPORT

The Evangelism Committee participated in two major projects for the year. Our churches were encouraged to support financially, prayerfully, and presently the "For Such a Time as This Harvest Crusade" at Ledford Senior High School with Evangelist Hank Williams and the Billy Lord Band, May 4-7. Inclement weather forced the worship celebrations from the football stadium into the gym after the first night. Many of our churches were active in the Crusade along with other denominational groups. 87 first-time decisions were made to received Christ as Savior. 183 re-committed themselves to a closer walk with the Lord and some surrendered to follow the Lord into a full-time Christian vocation.

The Association was also represented at the Davidson County Fair, September 15-20. Local church members passed out tracts, gave children over 300 helium balloons and passed out over 700 bottles of water. Churches volunteering to serve were Holloways, Smith Grove, Wallburg, Jersey and New Friendship.

Respectfully submitted,
Chris Byrne, Chairman

MISSION MINISTRY BUDGET - ADOPTED JULY 7, 2003
GENERAL FUND - LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
September 1, 2003 - August 31, 2004

		2002-2003	2003-2004
MISSIONS			
Mission Support			
5101	Alpha Pregnancy Center	600	**600***
5102	Brotherhood Handyman Ministries/Trailer	1,000	1,000
5103	Seaman's Center Ministry	250	200
5104	Literature Ministry	500	500
5105	DCCC Campus Ministry	100	0
5106	Davidson Medical Ministries Clinic	600	600
5107	Davidson County Prison Ministry	4,000	4,000
5108	Disaster Relief Fund	500	500
5109	Ethnic Ministry	500	200
5110	Davidson County Women's Prison	600	500
5111	Seminary Extension	500	500
5112	Cooperative Community Ministries, Thomasville	200	200
5113	Crisis Ministry of Davidson County	200	200
5120	Christian Activity Center, East St. Louis, IL	1,400	1,400
5122	New Work	12,000	12,000
5124	Partnership Missions	2,500	2,500
5140	WMU Toy Store Ministry	275	275
5150	WMU Prison Ministry	1,200	1,200
5160	Youth Events	2,000	2,000
	Sub-Total	**$ 28,925**	**$ 28,175**
PERSONNEL			
Director of Missions			
5210	DOM Total Package		
	Salary	27,583	27,538
	Housing Allowance	26,000	26,000
	Travel Allowance	4,000	4,000
	Social Security Offset	6,000	6,000
	Retirement	1,300	1,300
	Christmas Gift	300	300
	Hospital & Life Insurance	7,700	11,300
	Sub-Total	**$ 72,883**	**$ 76,438**
Office Manager			
5220	Salary	17,279	20,020
5221	FICA/Med-Care	1,300	1,522
5222	Christmas Gift	150	150
5223	Disability & Life Insurance	850	3,600
5224	Retirement	1,680	2,160
	Sub-Total	**$ 21,259**	**$ 27,452**
SUPPORT			
5230	Clerk	450	450
5231	Treasurer	1,200	1,500
5232	Temporary Secretary	1,000	3,500
5330	Associational Speakers	400	400
5331	Church Secretaries Association	100	100
5332	Convention Expense (DOM-$1,200; Sec.-$300)	1,500	1,300
5333	Equipment	2,500	2,000

		2002-2003	2003-2004
5340	Library/Media/Audio Visuals	500	400
5351	Historical Committee	100	100
5360	Newsletter (paper, supplies)	600	600
5361	Newsletter Postage/Bulk Mail	1,000	1,100
5362	Office Supplies	2,000	2,000
5363	Office Postage	2,000	2,000
5364	Printing of Minutes	1,500	1,400
5370	Telephone	1,400	1,400
5384	Minister's Conference	500	500
	Sub-Total	**$ 16,750**	**$ 18,750**
TRAINING/EQUIPPING SUPPORT			
5401	Brotherhood	1,000	1,000
5402	Discipleship Training	350	350
5403	Evangelism	5,000	1,000
5404	Key Leadership Conference	300	300
5405	Music	200	200
5406	Sunday School	250	250
5407	Christian Life & Public Affairs	200	200
5408	Pastoral Ministries Committee	250	300
5409	Associational Program Committee	1,800	1,600
5420	VBS	600	800
5430	WMU	650	650
5440	Youth	500	500
5450	Senior Adults	800	1,500
5460	Single Adults	100	0
5470	Missions Development Council	200	0
	Sub-Total	**$ 12,200**	**$ 8,650**
ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICE SUPPORT			
5510	Insurance	1,300	1,500
5520	Maintenance	1,500	8,500
5521	Custodial Services	500	500
5522	Yard Service	200	200
5530	Utilities	3,000	3,500
5531	Office Equipment-Maintenance	1,500	2,500
	Sub-Total	**$ 8,000**	**$ 16,700**
OTHER SUPPORT			
5610	Miscellaneous	3,500	**3,300***
5620	Storage Building	15,000	0
	Sub-Total	**$ 18,500**	**$ 3,300**
	TOTAL AMOUNT OF BUDGET	**$178,517**	**$179,365**

*** Figures were amended by recommendation of the Finance Committee at Annual Meeting, October 6, 2003.**

BUDGET EXPLANATIONS AND INFORMATION

1. The Budget was increased this year by less than 1%.
2. Office Manager's salary based on a 35 hour week. The time off is funded by the Temporary Secretary line item.
3. Clerk's salary will be paid as single payment by August 31 each year.
4. Treasurer's salary will be paid monthly.

EXPLANATION OF BUDGET AND DESIGNATED ITEMS
2003-2004 General Budget

Mission Support

5101 **Alpha Pregnancy Center** - financial support for pregnancy center.

5102 **Brotherhood/Handyman/Trailer** - support for Brotherhood/Handyman projects (roofing houses, handicap ramp, etc.)

5103 **Seaman's Center** - financial support for ministry at Morehead City.

5104 **Literature Ministry** - mailing or pickup of used literature. Pilgrim Tract Society picks up literature at office, which is distributed globally.

5106 **Davidson Medical Ministries Clinic** - financial support for DMMC.

5107 **Davidson County Prison Ministry** - to supplement salary for Chaplain Mike Lee at Davidson Co. Correctional Center for Men.

5108 **Disaster Relief Fund** - support for local and area disaster relief (Hurricane Floyd, eastern NC, ice damage, etc.)

5109 **Ethnic Ministry** - support for any ethic groups (Hispanic, Cambodian, etc.)

5110 **Davidson County Women's Prison** - financial support for women's prison.

5111 **Seminary Extension** - supplies for teaching Seminary Extension classes at prison.

5112 **Cooperative Community Ministries**, Thomasville - financial support for local ministry.

5113 **Crisis Ministry of Davidson County** - financial support for local ministry.

5120 **Christian Activity Center**, East St. Louis, IL - financial support for CAC ministries.

5122 **New Work** - expenses for starting new churches (supplies, advertisements, pay for workers, pastor, etc.) Association voted to give 10% of undesignated balance to New Work Designated Account 15.

5124 **Partnership Missions** - assistance for association-sponsored mission projects, trips.

5140 **WMU Toy Store Ministry** - to supplement church donations of toys.

5150 **WMU Prison Ministry** - gifts for men and women's prison at Christmas. To supplement amounts received from churches.

5160 **Youth Events** - to assist with expenses for association-sponsored youth events.

Support

5230 **Clerk** - paid annually for associational clerk's duties

5231 **Treasurer** - paid monthly for associational treasurer's duties

5232 **Temporary Secretary** - secretarial assistance when Office Manager is out of office.

5330 **Associational Speakers** - honorariums paid to speakers for special events.

5331 **Church Secretaries Association** - NC Baptist Secretaries Association

5332 **Convention Expense** - Mike: convention and seminar expenses. Secretary: annual meeting of NC Baptist Secretaries Association

5333 **Equipment** - new equipment needed for office

5340 **Library/Media/Audio Visuals** - training programs used for churches. If church purchases training programs, association office will purchase from church for one half the cost.

5351 **Historical Committee** - assistance for publishing/distributing historical information.

5360 **Newsletter** - paper needed to publish bi-monthly newsletter.

5361 **Newsletter/Bulk Mail Postage** - amount deposited with Post Office for newsletters, notices of quarterly meetings).

5362 **Office Supplies** - paper, envelopes, ink cartridges for printers, etc.

5363 **Office Postage** - all postage for office other than bulk mail

5364 **Printing of Minutes** - cost of reproducing annual minutes, including cost of paper/covers.

5370 **Telephone** - all telephone and fax expenses

5384 **Minister's Conference** - cost for meetings, speakers, etc.

Training/Equipping Support

5401 **Brotherhood** - expenses for training events, RA car races, trophies, etc., special speakers

5402 **Discipleship Training** - materials for training such as Bible drills

5403 **Evangelism** - expenses for associational evangelism events or training programs.

5404 **Key Leadership Conference** - travel expenses for conference at Ridgecrest
5405 **Music** - any materials for music promotion on an associational level
5406 **Sunday School** - materials and expenses for associational Sunday school events.
5407 **Christian Life & Public Affairs** - expenses for mailings pertaining to moral issues.
5408 **Pastoral Ministries Committee** - any expenses pertaining to ministers and staff members, such as flowers sent when a family member dies.
5409 **Associational Program Committee** - expenses pertaining to the quarterly and annual meetings, printing of Book of Reports, assistance to churches for meals, speakers.
5420 **VBS** - materials for Associational VBS training
5430 **WMU** - expenses for training events
5440 **Youth** - expenses for training events, Everybody's Day, parade floats, etc.
5450 **Senior Adults** - expenses for annual Senior adult celebration

Associational Office Support

5510 **Insurance** - Multi-Peril policy covering buildings, Non-Owned Auto policy, Worker's Compensation.
5520 **Maintenance** - painting, upkeep of premises
5521 **Custodial Services** - monthly cleaning of office
5522 **Office Yard Service** - mowing and grooming yard
5530 **Utilities** - telephone, power
5531 **Office Equipment** - lease and maintenance agreements on postage machine and copier.

Other Support

5610 **Miscellaneous** - any unexpected expenses that arise during the associational year.

DESIGNATED FUNDS

01 **Assoc. Program/Budget** - contributions received from churches.
02 **Annual Minutes** - money received from churches paying for additional annuals. To be transferred to Account #5364-Printing of Minutes, to help offset this cost.
03 **Youth Ministry** - specific contributions towards youth activities - $500 received from Cooperative Agreements for 2003; a portion was carried over from last year.
05 **DCCC Ministry** - student Ministry at Davidson County Community College. $500 received from Cooperative Agreements for 2003 with another $500 to be received in August. $500 was carried over from last year.
06 **Brotherhood Handyman** - contributions received from churches and individuals for the Handyman Ministry (primarily roofing and handicap ramps).
15 **New Work** - account created to assist with new churches and new works in the association.
16 **Hispanic Missions** - these funds are received from Cooperative Agreements for the specific purposes of paying the Hispanic pastors in our missions.
22 **Leisure Ministry BSCNC** - these monies are being received from Cooperative Agreements for the purpose of starting a ministry at High Rock Lake or other resort areas.
23 **State Missions BSCNC** - associational share of the North Carolina State Missions Offering. Usually received in January of each year.
25 **Cambodian Missions** - money received from Cooperative Agreements for the Cambodian Ministry at North Lexington Baptist Church.
26 **Prison Seminary** - reimbursement from BSCNC for books and scholarship for Seminary Extension classes at Davidson Correctional Center for Men.
30 **Toy Store Ministry** - specific contributions from churches and individuals to assist with Toy Store Ministry.
31 **Prisoner Gifts** - specific contributions from churches and individuals to assist with prisons gifts..
36 **Building Fund** - this account will phase out if there are no other expenses for the Storage building.

LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, Thomasville North Carolina

BUDGET/DESIGNATED FUNDS ACTIVITY - SEPTEMBER 1, 2002 THRU AUGUST 31, 2003
REPORT ENDING DATE - AUGUST 31, 2003

Fund Accounts	Beginning Balance	Receipts Year-to-Date	Total Year-to-Date	Disbursements Year-to-Date	Fund Balance Year-to-Date
01 Assoc. Program/Budget	**$85,745.54**	**$149,403.03**	**$235,148.57**	**$161,724.10**	**$73,424.47**
02 Annual Minutes	0.00	154.00	154.00	154.00	$0.00
03 Youth Ministry	600.00	0.00	600.00	72.98	$527.02
04 Migrant Ministry	0.50	0.00	0.50	0.50	$0.00
05 DCCC Ministry	500.00	1000.00	1,500.00	265.00	$1,235.00
06 Brotherhood Handyman	2,082.87	3,500.00	5,582.87	2,340.22	$3,242.65
08 Recovery Trailer	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	$0.00
09 Sign for Court House	0.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	$0.00
10 Davidson Medical Ministry	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	$0.00
11 Evangelism	4,802.27	12,803.60	17,605.87	17,605.87	$0.00
12 South Africa Partnership	565.23	0.00	565.23	565.23	$0.00
12A-Church Planter	4,443.40	0.00	4,443.40	4,443.40	$0.00
13 Ch. Activity Ctr., E. St. Louis	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	$0.00
15 New Work*	41,232.09	13,639.55	54,871.64	7,498.07	$47,373.57
16 Hispanic Missions	0.00	8,280.00	8,280.00	8,280.00	$0.00
22 Leisure Ministry BSCNC	2,434.52	999.96	3,434.48	0.00	$3,434.48
23 State Missions BSCNC	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	$0.00
25 Cambodian Missions	0.00	8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00	$0.00
26 Prison Seminary	1,346.88	986.94	2,333.82	2,084.97	$248.85
30 Toy Store Ministry	1,962.06	650.00	2,612.06	375.00	$2,237.06
31 Prisoner Gifts	1,987.04	1,902.47	3,889.51	2,170.16	$1,719.35
36 Building Fund	0.00	1,681.12	1,681.12	18.96	$1,662.16
Designated Funds Total	**$61,956.86**	**$53,797.64**	**$115,754.50**	**$54,074.36**	**$61,680.14**

GRAND TOTALS ALL FUNDS	Beginning Balance	Receipts Year-to-Date	Total Year-to-Date	Disbursements Year-to-Date	Fund Balance Year-to-Date
	$147,702.40	**$203,200.67**	**$350,903.07**	**$215,798.46**	**$135,104.61**

RECAP

LSB Checking	$67,161.00
LBS Investors Account	67,943.61
TOTAL	**$135,104.61**

LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, Thomasville, North Carolina
GENERAL BUDGET FINANCIAL REPORT - SEPTEMBER 1, 2002 THRU AUGUST 31, 2003
REPORT ENDING DATE - AUGUST 31, 2003

Acct. No.	Item	Disbursements YTD	Received YTD	Balance YTD	2002-2003 Budget
MISSIONS					
	Mission Support				
5101	Alpha Pregnancy Center	600.00	0.00	0.00	600.00
5102	Brotherhood/Handyman/Trailer	713.60	0.00	286.40	1,000.00
5103	Seaman's Center Ministry	250.00	0.00	0.00	250.00
5104	Literature Ministry	450.00	0.00	50.00	500.00
5105	DCCC Campus Ministry	63.87	0.00	36.13	100.00
5106	Davidson Med. Min. Clinic	600.00	0.00	0.00	600.00
5107	Davidson Co. Prison Min.	4,333.32	333.32	0.00	4,000.00
5108	Disaster Relief Fund	100.00	100.00	500.00	500.00
5109	Ethnic Ministries	0.00	0.00	500.00	500.00
5110	Davidson Co. Women's Prison	600.00	0.00	0.00	600.00
5111	Seminary Extension	500.00	0.00	0.00	500.00
5112	Cooperative Community Min	200.00	0.00	0.00	200.00
5113	Crisis Min. of Davidson Co.	200.00	0.00	0.00	200.00
5120	Christian Activity Center	1,400.00	0.00	0.00	1,400.00
5122	New Work (10% of Undesig.)	13,274.00	0.00	(1,274.00)	12,000.00
5124	Partnership Missions	3,340.55	840.55	0.00	2,500.00
5140	WMU Toy Store Ministry	0.00	0.00	275.00	275.00
5150	WMU Prison Ministry	0.00	0.00	1,200.00	1,200.00
5160	Youth Events	908.73	0.00	1,091.27	2,000.00
	Sub-Total	**$27,534.07**	**$1,273.87**	**$2,664.80**	**$28,925.00**
PERSONNEL					
	Director of Missions				
5210	DOM Total Package	72,883.00	0.00	0.00	72,883.00
	Sub-Total	**$72,883.00**	**$0.00**	**$0.00**	**$72,883.00**
	Administrative Secretary				
5220	Salary	17,278.82	0.00	0.18	17,279.00
5221	FICA/Med-Care	1,277.11	0.00	22.89	1,300.00
5222	Christmas Gift	150.00	0.00	0.00	150.00
5223	Disability/Life Ins.	917.88	0.00	(67.88)	850.00
5224	Retirement	1,680.00	0.00	0.00	1,680.00
	Sub-Total	**$21,303.81**	**$0.00**	**($44.81)**	**$21,259.00**
SUPPORT					
5230	Clerk	450.00	0.00	0.00	450.00
5231	Treasurer	1,200.00	0.00	0.00	1,200.00
5232	Temporary Secretarial	1119.00	0.00	(119.00)	1,000.00
5330	Associational Speakers	200.00	0.00	200.00	400.00
5331	Church Secretaries Association	100.00	0.00	0.00	100.00
5332	Convention Expense	221.47	130.00	1,408.53	1,500.00
5333	Equipment	2,470.78	0.00	29.22	2,500.00
5340	Library/Media/Audio Visuals	213.35	300.00	586.65	500.00
5351	Historical Committee	0.00	0.00	100.00	100.00
5360	Newsletter	196.53	0.00	403.47	600.00
5361	Newsletter Postage	1,000.00	0.00	0.00	1,000.00
5362	Office Supplies	1,981.16	65.00	83.84	2,000.00
5363	Office Postage	1,857.60	0.00	142.40	2,000.00
5364	Printing of Minutes	1,117.48	0.00	382.52	1,500.00
5370	Telephone	1,303.83	0.00	96.17	1,400.00
5384	Minister's Conference	274.84	0.00	225.16	500.00
	Sub-Total	**$13,706.04**	**$495.00**	**$3,538.96**	**$16,750.00**

Acct. No.	Item	Disbursements YTD	Received YTD	Balance YTD	2002-2003 Budget
TRAINING/EQUIPPING SUPPORT					
5401	Brotherhood	80.00	0.00	920.00	1,000.00
5402	Discipleship Training	80.00	0.00	270.00	350.00
5403	Evangelism	3,859.77	682.33	1,822.56	5,000.00
5404	Key Leadership Conference	257.50	0.00	42.50	300.00
5405	Music	0.00	0.00	200.00	200.00
5406	Sunday School	0.00	0.00	250.00	250.00
5407	Christian Life & Public Affairs	0.00	0.00	200.00	200.00
5408	Pastoral Ministries Committee	154.89	0.00	95.11	250.00
5409	Associational Program Committee	1,265.39	0.00	534.61	1,800.00
5420	VBS	507.16	52.44	145.28	600.00
5430	WMU	120.00	0.00	530.00	650.00
5440	Youth	0.00	0.00	500.00	500.00
5450	Senior Adults	1,014.82	0.00	(214.82)	800.00
5460	Single Adults	0.00	0.00	100.00	100.00
5470	Missions Development Council	0.00	0.00	200.00	200.00
	Sub-Total	**$7,339.53**	**$734.77**	**$5,595.24**	**$12,200.00**
ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICE SUPPORT					
5510	Insurance	1,955.00	0.00	(655.00)	1,300.00
5520	Maintenance	75.00	0.00	1,425.00	1,500.00
5521	Custodial Services	440.00	0.00	60.00	500.00
5522	Office Yard Service	200.00	0.00	0.00	200.00
5530	Utilities	2,728.78	0.00	271.22	3,000.00
5531	Office Equipment	2,969.70	0.00	(1,469.70)	1,500.00
	Sub-Total	**$8,368.48**	**$0.00**	**($368.48)**	**$8,000.00**
OTHER SUPPORT					
5610	Miscellaneous	3,742.59	650.00	407.41	3,500.00
5620	**Storage Building	6,921.98	100.00	0.00	6,821.98
	Sub-Total	**$10,664.57**	**$750.00**	**$407.41**	**$10,321.98**
	TOTALS	**$161,799.50**	**$3,253.64**	**$11,793.12**	**$170,338.98**
Adjustment for Taxes Payable		-75.40			
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS		**$161,724.10**			

**** Amount Approved for New Building at Spring Meeting**

CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED - SEPTEMBER 1, 2002 THRU AUGUST 31, 2003

REPORT ENDING DATE: AUGUST 31, 2003

Churches	01 Assoc. Program	02 Minutes	03 Youth	05 DCCC Ministry	06 Handy-man	09 Court House	11 Evangelism	12A Church Planter	15 New Work	16 Hispanic Mission	22 Leisur Ministry
Abbotts Creek	7,375.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Amity	600.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	542.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Carolina Mem	15,521.42	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	707.40	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cedar Lodge	2,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	400.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Center Hill	1,200.00	45.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Central	852.09	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Churchland	1,200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Clearview	200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Coggins Mem	13,447.00	3.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	525.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Colonial	4,232.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	567.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Denton, 1st	4,371.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	272.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Faith	600.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	104.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Floyd	400.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Greenwood	2,500.05	25.00	0.00	0.00	1,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Hasty	435.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
High Rock	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Hillside Park	1,100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Holloways	2,422.02	21.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	372.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Jersey	3,750.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	644.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Lakeview	371.83	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Lexington, 1st	4,400.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Liberty	1,928.65	60.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Lick Creek	275.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mills Home	50.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mountain View	1,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
New Friendship	6,680.92	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	447.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
North Lex	1,200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	408.08	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Oak Hill Mem	2,800.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Oakhurst	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Park Place	6,102.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,000.00	0.00	400.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Reeds	10,362.32	0.00	0.00	0.00	500.00	200.00	412.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Rich Fork	3,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Smith Grove	2,250.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	394.46	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Southgate	5,040.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	700.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Southside	3,184.51	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Stoners Grove	1,200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Summerville	4,064.56	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Thomasville, 1st	3,545.52	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Trinity	3,188.36	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Victory	440.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	583.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Wallburg	2,333.32	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1065.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Welcome, 1st	12,469.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Antioch	750.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Hisp Miss.T-vill	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Hisp Miss.Lex	319.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
N. Dav.Mission	119.08	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,000.00	8,280.00	999.96
Baptist St.Conv.	5,308.68	0.00	0.00	1,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Interest	964.63	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	10,639.55	0.00	0.00
Organizations	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Individuals	30.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Refunds	565.73	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,759.77	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
TOTALS	$146,149.39	$154.00	$0.00	$1,000.00	$3,500.00	$200.00	$12,803.60	$0.00	$13,639.55	$8,280.00	$999.96

	23	25	26	30	31	32	35	36		
Churches	State	Camb.	Prison	Toy	Prisoner	Liter-	Rollins	Building	Refunds	All
	BSCNC	Mission	Sem.	Store	Gifts	ature	Mem.	Fund		Income
Abbotts Creek	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	450.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	9,825.00
Amity	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00	72.00	0.00	0.00	90.00	0.00	1,329.00
Carolina Mem	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	52.44	16,281.26
Cedar Lodge	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	40.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,440.00
Center Hill	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	244.75	1,589.75
Central	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	852.09
Churchland	0.00	0.00	0.00	35.00	10.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,245.00
Clearview	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	200.00
Coggins Mem	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	13,975.00
Colonial	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,799.00
Denton, 1st	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,643.00
Faith	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	704.00
Floyd	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	700.00
Greenwood	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	105.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,630.05
Hasty	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	435.00
High Rock	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Hillside Park	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,100.00
Holloways	0.00	0.00	0.00	200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,015.02
Jersey	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,519.70
Lakeview	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	571.83
Lexington, 1st	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,425.00
Liberty	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,988.65
Lick Creek	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	275.00
Mills Home	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	50.00
Mountain View	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,000.00
New Friendship	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	7,128.06
North Lex	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,608.08
Oak Hill Mem	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,100.00
Oakhurst	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Park Place	0.00	0.00	0.00	250.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	7,752.23
Reeds	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	11,474.32
Rich Fork	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	50.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,050.00
Smith Grove	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	40.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,684.46
Southgate	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	5,740.35
Southside	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,184.51
Stoners Grove	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,700.00
Summerville	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,064.56
Thomasville, 1s	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	682.33	4,227.85
Trinity	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,188.36
Victory	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	440.00
Wallburg	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,916.32
Welcome, 1st	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	221.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	13,755.17
Antioch	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	950
Hisp Miss.T-vill	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Hisp Miss.Lex	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	319.00
N. Dav.Mission	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	44.43
Baptist St.Conv	0.00	8,000.00	986.94	0.00	333.32	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,283.32	29,192.22
Interest	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	964.63
Organizations	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	136.15	0.00	0.00	1,291.12	50.00	12,116.82
Individuals	0.00	0.00	0.00	140.00	195.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	795.80	1,460.80
Refunds	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	145.00	2,470.50
TOTALS	$0.00	$8,000.00	$986.94	$650.00	$1,902.47	$0.00	$0.00	$1,681.12	$3,253.64	$203,200.67

MEMORIALS - LISTING OF DECEASED CHURCH MEMBERS

September 1, 2002 through August 31, 2003

"Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints." Psalm 116:15

Abbotts Creek
- Charles Bodenheimer
- Jerry Clodfelter
- Wilford Coffey
- Lee Davis, Deacon
- Mary Teague Harmon
- Ella Hedgecock
- Elizabeth Lentz
- Hazel Linville
- Doris Sells

Antioch
- Allan Dunning, Deacon

Carolina Memorial
- Maria Metters
- Lucille B. Stocks
- Debbie Wagner
- Gaye Widdows

Cedar Lodge
- Thelma Howard
- Grace Luther
- James Myers
- Gene Poindexter

Center Hill
- Joe Hunt, Deacon
- Foy Jarrett
- Amy Moore
- Ray Scott
- Elizabeth Welch

Churchland
- Marguarite Davis
- Evelyn Pleasants
- Frances Wilson

Clearview
- Rhonda McCormick

Coggins Memorial
- Lois Beck
- Ruby Carter
- Charlie Comer
- Rebecca Curry
- Margie Johnson
- Mozell Morrow
- Mae Owens
- John Royal

Colonial
- Tim Austin
- Hallie Baker
- Mae Free
- Stella King
- Ron Stepp

Denton, First
- Flauda Andrews
- Ruth Brown
- Caprice Elliott
- Onnie Fine
- Pearl Harris
- Alton Haywood
- Earl Knight
- Madeline Knight
- Thomas Singleton
- Hazel Smyth
- Joe Wright

Floyd
- Rosa Lee Huffman

Greenwood
- Jerry Byerly
- Will Kay
- John L. Ripple
- Evelyn Slack

Hasty
- Myra Hedgepeth
- Ruth Hedrick
- Ted G. Hicks

High Rock
- Lissie Bean Davis

Hillside Park
- Minnie Byrd
- Austine Adams

Holloways
- Arnold Beane
- George Owen, Jr.
- Vivian Palmer
- Beulah Reid
- Arline Warfford

Jersey
- Libby Ann Coppley
- Raymond Lemly
- Edward Leroy Smith
- Harold Tate

Lakeview
- Paul Ashby
- Ada Dennis
- Valeria Mazza
- Bill Simerson

Lexington, First
- Catherine Andrews
- Rochella Baker
- Clifford H. Banks
- Ola Costner

Lexington, First - continued
Edith Jordan
Addie Mae Meacham
Eric Morgan
Ventrene Newsome
Helen Pickard
Hubert J. Philpott, Sr.
Garland Shoaf
Loreta S. Sink
Margaret H. Sink
Margaret Thomason
Spaugh Thomason
Maxine S. Trantham

Liberty
Lacy Ball

Lick Creek
Jimmie Johnson, Retired Evangelis
Bertie Whitted

Mountain View
Essie Frank

New Friendship
Mary Floyd
Mary Hinson

North Lexington
Juanita Benfield
Ralph Wilson

Oak Hill Memorial
Roger Dale Barker, Jr.
Sarah Dennis
Rosa Lee Mills

Park Place
Delia Batten
Tom Bryant
Sarah Carrico
Joe Craddock
Joe Hilton

Reeds
Carrie Byerly
Alvin Curry
Bonnie Dunbar
Irene Hinkle
Frankie Michael
George Norman
Helen Norman

Rich Fork
Mary Cumbee
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Kate Hedrick
Lena Myers
Rushi Slusher

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Grady Clement, Deacon
Marvin Condrey

Southgate
Linda Allred
Homer Arrington
Debbie Cromer
Eloise Deese
Thelma Wilson

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Opal Alford
Mary Cooper
Etta Gailey
Janie Hicks
July Lambeth
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MISSIONS DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE REPORT

At the Annual Meeting in 2002, messengers voted to accept Antioch Baptist Church under watchcare for one year. Then at the Annual Meeting on October 6, 2003, we were privileged to accept Antioch into full membership of Liberty Baptist Association.

Two new churches were accepted under watchcare for this year: Friendship-Ledford Community Church, now meeting at Ledford Middle School, with Pastor Leon Trotter; and North Davidson Community Church, which will be meeting at Freidberg Elementary School in the Ardadia Township, with Dr. Robert Floyd as pastor. We thank God that He is blessing our efforts in the areas of New Work and ministry.

A special emphasis will be placed on missions for the 2003-2004 associational year. There are many areas of mission work available to individuals and to church groups. It is our goal to make this information available to all churches, and to assist them in selecting the areas of service which will use their capabilities and talents, bringing honor and glory to Jesus Christ.

Requests for funds to assist many of our ministries have already been made through the Cooperative Agreement of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina; however, because of the recent financial problems, we do not expect to received as much funding as we have in the past. This may mean that some of our ministries will suffer or be deleted unless we find other means of support. Please pray with us that God will open doors that we may continue our associational work in reaching others for Christ.

Respectfully submitted,
Gary Myers, Chairman

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

In the Summer Quarterly meeting, held at Center Hill Baptist Church on July 7, 2003, the body voted unanimously for a resolution to be sent to the Davidson County Commissioners stating the support of Liberty Baptist Association of the national motto, *"In God We Trust,"* on the County Administration Building. The following resolution was sent to the Commissioners on July 23, 2003:

BE IT RESOLVED this Liberty Baptist Association, on behalf of 43 churches, two Hispanic Missions, one Cambodian mission, and two mission churches, whose messengers and visitors met in Quarterly Meeting on July 7, 2003, at Center Hill Baptist Church, offer the following:

WHEREAS, a motion was made to the continuing display of our national motto, *"In God We Trust,"* on the Davidson County Administration Building in Lexington;

AND WHEREAS, the motion was seconded and unanimously adopted by the body of believers who attended;

THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That we, the messengers and all who attended the Quarterly meeting of Liberty Baptist Association on July 7, 2003, express our firm desire and belief that the wording *"In God We Trust"* should remain intact on this building.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That we hereby petition the Board of Commissions of Davidson County to legally defend the constitutional display of *"In God We Trust"* against all legal challenges.

Respectfully submitted, 2002-2003 Resolutions Committee
Bill Hicks (Stoner's Grove), Chairman
Ron Blakley (Southside)
Doris Lopp (Liberty)

SEAMEN'S CENTER

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June, 2003

Dear Friends of the Seamen's Ministry:

Last year we shared with you the way 9-11 was affecting our mission to seafarers. Incoming vessels to the Port of New York denied the privilege of shore passes and at subsequent U. S. ports on that particular voyage. Consequently, we have ships docking at Morehead City, the crews of which are restricted to the vessels. There are other reasons for such restrictions also, not the least of which is the $100.00 head tariff imposed by the U. S. government. Some ship owners refuse to pay the tariff, which again penalized the seamen who want so badly to get to telephones to contact their families and/or to visit the mission for a period of relaxation or to go shopping. We try to ease their disappointment by sympathizing and by taking to the ships magazines, Bibles, Gospel tapes, and cookies when our supply affords it. Whenever possible we share a small "ditty bag" with toilet articles and writing materials. A gallon size zip lock freezer bag works beautifully for this.

A case in point may illustrate something of the need and the opportunity afforded by the Seamen's Ministry. Just before Christmas last year a ship called the "Atlantic Spirit," with 26 Ukrainians aboard, arrived off Morehead City with a cargo of explosives. It was detained off shore for several days by the Coast Guard because of "radar" problems. Soon after it docked ship visitation revealed more than just mechanical problems. Food supplies had run low - down to mainly rice and sugar - for some time. One crewman was injured and needed medical attention. The ship was old and dirty. Living conditions were poor, refrigeration was very limited, and unfortunately the crew had no shore passes. (Not 9-11 related). The prospects of a gloomy Christmas were quite good.

News about the plight of the crew spread within the port community, and the Christmas Spirit became active. In addition to magazines, Bibles, and 26 very nice Christmas packages from the Seamen's Center - which had been prepared by friends and local churches - other provisions started rolling in. One of our volunteers and his family brought hams, turkey, cakes and other goodies. A ready prepared hot meal was brought by our lady immigration officer, the I.T.F. inspector and his wife brought hot food, and the shipping agent got the injured seamen to a medical clinic. (Unfortunately, the Captain opted to ship the crewman home rather than pay for needed hospitalization.) During the time the gifts and provisions were being taken aboard the ship the reactions of the chief cook and other crew members were something to behold - almost childlike in wonder and joy. They weren't used to such expressions of love and care as they received in Morehead City on that Christmas Eve. Later, notwithstanding the lack of shore passes, members of the crew showed up at the Seamen's Center sharing that Christmas had indeed been a good one for them and that they feasted very enjoyably.

The Ukrainians were not the only ones who had a special Christmas blessing because of this happening. The Americans did too! We may never hear further from the Atlantic Spirit, but I suspect that many of the seamen will not soon forget the Christmas of 2002 they spent in Morehead City.

Every Christmas provides a special opportunity to share with these strangers in our midst, but 2002 was especially nice. Church members, friends, boys, and girls had a handshake in making this Christmas special for visiting seamen. They do every year, and have been for over 30 years. Isn't God Good!

There were also 364 other days and nights in 2002 during which ministry was going on through the Seamen's Center. The contacts close to 2400 (down from 2001), the distribution of Bibles - 167, over 300 Gospel tapes (many in foreign languages), ship visitations, numerous van trips to the shopping malls, and a number of speaking engagements, were all a part of the ministry of faithful staff and volunteers directed toward seamen, some military, and some truck drivers. 200 beautiful gift packages were also distributed during Christmas 2002. Distribution of Gospel portions, devotional guides, magazines, books, ping pong, fooz ball, billiards, radio, T.V., telephoning home, fellowship, prayer, listening, devotionals, and numerous other activities, were a part of the environment of our "home away from home" for the visiting seamen.

We wish that all of you who undergird this ministry with your prayers and support could visit us and meet some of the nicest foreigners to be sure. Come to see us! Some of you already have - come again!

Shalom!
Lenwood Lee, Director of Ministry

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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT

I hope everyone had a great Vacation Bible School this past summer as we trotted around jolly ol' England. I would like to thank everyone who participated in our Bible School clinics. Your provide valuable information to those who are teaching in the Vacation Bible Schools.

Our Early Planning Clinic had to moved back a week because of an ice storm, so we didn't have as much participation as we normally had. Those who did come made the evening a success. Combined with our Training Clinic, we had a total of 206 people attending with 28 of our churches represented. Our churches reported a total of 4,608 enrolled in this VBS this year.

Thank you again for making Vacation Bible School a vital part of your church's ministry. I would also like to thank the folks who helped with our props for the clinics and then allowed other churches in the association to borrow them. Our churches worked well together to pick these items up from each other in a timely fashion.

Last, but definitely not least, I would like to thank the individuals who helped teach at the clinic. These folks were Darlene Jarvis, Jewell Landreth, Chris and Marsha Noland, Eddie Lothridge, April Coggins, David Shaffer, Janet Sharpe, Kathy Cottrell, Lori Sullivan, Ava Charles, Susan and Holly Campbell, and Linda Tanner.

We look forward to this coming year as we strive to make it our best ever.

Respectfully submitted,
Tim Landreth
Associational VBS Director

VOLUNTEER MISSIONS/PARTNERSHIP COMMITTEE REPORT

"For Christ's love compels us, because we are convinced that one died for all, and therefore all died. And he died for all, that those who live should no longer live for themselves but him who died for them and was raised again." 2Cor 5:14-15 (NIV)

This year MISSION VOLUNTEERS from our association served in the following places: Trinidad, Honduras, Christian Activity Center in East St. Louis IL, Kentucky, New York, West Virginia, and in Grifton, NC. This has truly been a very busy year for our Mission Volunteers. The Volunteer Mission/Partnership Committee is planning a special Mission Emphasis in 2004, and hopes to provide information to churches and groups about various mission opportunities. If your church or group is interested in any mission opportunity, please contact the associational office.

Respectfully submitted,
Michael Rinehardt, Chairman

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WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION REPORT

On April 12, 2003, Sandy Harrison led a Prayer Retreat at First Baptist Church in Denton. There were 65 or more ladies who participated in this very inspiring meeting.

The Annual WMU Salad Supper and meeting was held at Coggins Memorial Baptist Church in Lexington on April 28th, with Caroline Jones as our special speaker.

Missions Friends Day Camp was held on May 17th at Liberty Baptist Church in Thomasville. The theme was centered on Hawaii. Tamara Wray and Cheri James were the consultants.

The National Acteens Convention, held from July 29th through August 1st, in Nashville, Tennessee, was well attended with 34 from Liberty Baptist Association.

North Lexington Baptist Church in Lexington hosted the WMU and Brotherhood Leadership Training workshop on August 25th with many of the leaders attending.

Hazel Fritts has encouraged us to revive our Dime-A-Day Campaign for the completion of Liberty Baptist Association's cabin at Mundo Vista.

The Prison Ministry Gift bags will be assembled around the first of December. There are 398 gifts which will be distributed to the Davidson Correctional Center for Men and the North Piedmont Correctional Center for Women. Donations have been received from our churches and items were purchased in bulk so that all of the gift bags will be identical as requested by the prison chaplains.

The Toy Store Ministry, under the direction of Karen Shaffer of Coggins Memorial, is progressing and donations are being collected at the associational office. Toy Store applications were mailed to all pastors, WMU and Brotherhood directors.

Oak Hill Memorial Baptist Church in Thomasville will host the Annual WMU Salad Supper on April 26, 2004, at 6:30 pm. All Brotherhood and Baptist Men will be invited to attend this meeting. Phyllis and Bob Foy, missionaries for the North American Mission Board, will be the speakers.

Respectfully submitted,
Janet Sharpe, Associational WMU Director

BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION OF NC REPORTS

2003 ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

The last three years have indeed been challenging for participants in the Annuity Board retirement plans. During a time that climaxed the worst three-year stock market cycle since 1941 many of our retirement participants have been challenged to look more carefully and monitor more closely their asset allocation with a determined focus on their long-term retirement goals. AB Funds Trust through the Annuity Board has continued to perform at or above respective bench marks in the equity and bond investment industries despite volatile market conditions.

In an effort to meet constituency needs the Capital Preservation Fund was offered as a 14th investment choice on April 1, 2003. The fund seeks to maximize current income while seeking to maintain a stable value per share. The crediting rate is reset quarterly, is net of all fees and will be announced at least two weeks prior to the quarter's end. The fund is suitable for investors who want to preserve capital and are seeking higher current income than a money market fund over most time periods.

The continuing national health crises characterized by increases in drug costs, provider expenses, consumer demand, and government regulation tops the list in fueling rising health care costs. General inflation and industry litigation fees have also added to the costs. The Annuity Board continues to seek ways to provide affordable health care products. New health initiatives/plans are under consideration and will be available on January 1, 2004.

As a result of these escalating costs for medical insurance, too many of our churches have decided they can not provide this coverage as a benefit for their ministers/church employees. Unfortunately, those who labor under the burden of a "pay package" have seen an enormous erosion of their disposable income. We continue to encourage churches to provide adequate benefits (insurance coverage, retirement, and social security offset) separate from salaries for their ministers and staff and to structure/administer compensation that takes full advantage of the tax laws. The 2002 SBC Compensation Study has proved to be a very valuable resource in assisting church leaders as they strive to provide fair and equitable compensation for those whom God has called to provide spiritual leadership to our Baptist churches across the state of North Carolina from Manteo to Murphy.

The relief ministry through the Annuity Board continues to provide assistance to those needy, retired ministers and to their widowed spouses. Presently, 386 North Carolinians are being helped by the Adopt An Annuitant and Relief Ministries.

retirement plan, and a record number of 2,879 were receiving benefits. Of course, our goal is to have all of our churches actively participating in the retirement plan provided by the Annuity Board of the SBC.

In closing, we remain committed to serve all of our churches, ministers, and other church employees. For more information related to products or services, call the Baptist State Convention of NC at 1.800.395.5102 extensions 320 or 321, visit our Web site at www.bscnc.org, call the Annuity Board at 1.800.262.0511, or visit the Annuity Board Web site at www.absbc.org.

Johnny E. Ross
Senior Consultant, Annuity

Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina

Baptists make a difference... This summer Baptist Children's Homes had a very special guest on the Mills Home campus in Thomasville. Many Baptists will remember Patricia Sutherland. She has shared her story at multiple state conventions, and her life has been shared in ***Charity & Children*** on a couple of occasions. Patricia is a beautiful young woman and a rising senior at Toccoa Falls College in northern Georgia. Looking at Patricia today, you would not recognize her as the same little girl who came to Baptist Children's Homes 11 years ago.

As a young child she lived with abusive, alcoholic and drug-addicted parents who forced her to lie about their abuse. The little girl was threatened with a pistol held to her head and made to sleep on cold hardwood floors. Her abuse and neglect were compounded by a severe medical condition. Because her parents were unable to properly care for Patricia, she went months at a time without the daily medication she so desperately needed.

Then one day, Patricia found the security she had longed for at our Broyhill Home in Clyde. But even at Broyhill Home her life wasn't easy. Patricia has Turner's syndrome, a condition affecting her balance and coordination and stunting her growth. Because she was awkward and clumsy, other children made fun of her at school. But her physical problems only seemed to make her stronger.

While at Mills Home this summer, Patricia was asked to share her story with the girls on campus. She boldly assured them that God has a plan for their life. But then she challenged the girls by telling them it is their choice. They can put their past behind them and trust God and follow His lead, or they can wander through life lost.

Because of your help, children like Patricia are rescued from the jaws of hopelessness and despair, set on solid ground, supported by loving Christian men and women, and are given hope so they can realize their dreams – dreams that at one time in their lives, they could never imagine were possible.

Baptists Respond to Needs Donating Towels, Bedding and Food. If you ask North Carolina Baptists for help, expect them to provide in a big way. When the word went out to North Carolina's WMU that Baptist Children's Homes needed towels and washcloths, hundreds of women in churches across the state provided them. Towels and washcloths flooded in to all BCH locations. When Baptists learned that pillows and sheets were needed in BCH cottages, an avalanche of bedding poured in. And BCH's first statewide food roundup is bringing great enthusiasm and response.

14,640 Baptists Pray for North Carolina Children. More than one hundred BCH children and staff presented the Chain of Prayer at the 172nd Baptist State Convention in Winston-Salem. The chain consisted of 14,640 strips of brightly colored paper inscribed with the written prayers of North Carolina Baptist men, women, and children. Each prayer made up an individual link in the Chain of Prayer. The effort was a BCH initiative and was promoted in North Carolina Baptist churches. The Chain of Prayer united thousands of people and represented their belief in the power of God to meet the needs voiced in the prayers.

BCH Hosts National Child Care Executive Meeting. BCH president Michael C. Blackwell and Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina hosted the fifty-fifth annual meeting of the Baptist Child Care Executives April 22-24 in Greensboro. Directors and other top management of Baptist child care agencies representing as many as 19 states attended the annual meeting. The conference serves as a time of fellowship and continuing education for participants. A highlight took place Wednesday evening with "pig-pickin' in Mayberry" at Mills Home in Thomasville. Children and staff recreated the sights and sounds of the popular sixties television program ***The Andy Griffith Show.***

Historic Ice Storm Wreaks Havoc. Mills Home in Thomasville, BCH's oldest facility and flagship campus, suffered major damage due to one of the worse ice storms to ever hit the Piedmont. The cost due to the loss, cleanup and repairs reached tens of thousands of dollars. No injury or harm came to the children and staff. Duke Power called the ice storm the worst in its 100-year history. Parts of the campus remained without electricity for as long as five days. Baptists from across the state sent funds and relief groups to aid in the clean-up efforts reducing the storm's economic effects.

North Carolina Baptist Church Donates Property and $100,000 to Help Build a New Group Home for Developmentally Disabled Adults. Asheville's Calvary Baptist Church dedicated property they donated to Baptist Children's Homes and presented $100,000 to help construct the Alverta Bolick Home for developmentally disabled adults on June 8, 2003. The financial gift was made possible through the generosity of the late Alverta Bolick. The group home will be built adjacent to the church and provide a home for six residents.

Baptist Children's Homes Faces Serious Financial Challenges. This year, Baptist Children's Homes took necessary actions to offset further economic hardships. With an overwhelming decline in income and a projected budget deficit of $4 million for fiscal 2003-2004, BCH cut the 2003-2004 budget (effective October 1, 2003). The cuts resulted in the closing of one or more cottages in four of BCH's Family Service Areas, the closing of Baptist Maternity Home in Asheville, the elimination of the agency's Intensive Family Preservation Services, and a reduction of 68 and one half budgeted positions. (Due to positions currently vacant and the reassignment of some staff, the actual net loss of people was 31.)

BCH...Focused on the Future. Despite the trying times, Baptist Children's Homes continues to be committed to providing only the highest quality of service. Children who come through BCH's doors continue to receive an abundance of love, care and healing. A dedicated staff serves and gives of themselves sacrificially. The lives of children and families are worth every effort. Although facing critical financial times, BCH holds true to its mission of ***"helping hurting children... healing broken families."***

The support of North Carolina Baptists through the Thanksgiving Offering, Cooperative Missions giving, church and individual gifts, memorials, honors, and estate gifts enables BCH to provide care for more than 2000 children through our locations across the state. ***Thank you, North Carolina Baptists, for your continued prayers and support. We could not do what we do without you.***

Michael C. Blackwell, President
James D. Goldston, III, Board of Trustees Chair
Fall 2003

BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA, INCORPORATED

"Security, comfort, quality care, enjoyable lifestyle" . . . these are terms that residents use in describing life at the Baptist Retirement Homes of North Carolina, Incorporated.

There are certain activities that characterize all of the "Homes"' five campuses across the state. The five Baptist chaplains minister to the spiritual needs of the residents through personal counseling, regularly scheduled worship services and Bible studies. Activity Directors fill the calendars with opportunities for enrichment and enjoyment. Dietary workers provide meals that far exceed all requirements in relation to quality of food, variety of menu, preparation and presentation. The housekeeping and maintenance staff at each campus helps provide a living environment that enriches resident life. The high ratio of caring staff workers to residents, plus the on-going training received by these workers insures that needs are met promptly and properly.

In addition to the activities the Homes have in common, each of the "Homes"' Communities has unique attributes. The recently opened Gardens of Taylor Glen Retirement Community in Concord is state-of-the-art in its construction and furnishings. The new Community's flexible program options include such food service choices as restaurant style, café, buffet dining . . . as well as wonderful wellness options for residents. The Gardens of Taylor Glen is financially self-supporting, and no Baptist monies are used for the operation of that Community.

The Brookridge Retirement Community in Winston-Salem offers a continuum of care from independent living in garden homes, a neighborhood of freestanding and duplex-style homes in a garden-like setting, through nursing care. Multiple lifestyle activities are available to the residents who call that Community "Home".

The Western North Carolina Baptist Home in Asheville offers assisted living in addition to our largest nursing care service. Included in the health care program at the Western Home is the recently renovated Fowler Memory-Enhanced Residence for those who have dementia-related disorders like Alzheimer's Disease.

The stately oaks and the front porch rocking chairs give a "like home" feel to The Taylor House in Albemarle. The easy-living level atmosphere continues with the newly re-decorated rooms, halls, and dining area along with the freshly renovated kitchen.

The close ties between residents and staff bring a warm sense of family to The Hamilton Baptist Home, located in the town of Hamilton in northeastern North Carolina. Like The Taylor House in Albemarle, there are no financial requirements for admission to The Hamilton Baptist Home. Residents are asked to use the resources they have, and the gifts shared by the Baptist churches of North Carolina, via the Cooperative Program, the North Carolina Offering for Older Adults, and local church budgets enable us to offer assisted living to those unable to pay the full cost of their care at both The Taylor House and The Hamilton Baptist Home. In addition, these same gifts from the churches enable Baptist Retirement Homes to provide nursing care services in both Asheville and Winston-Salem to those who lack adequate financial resources. In 2003, that support helped the "Homes" to distribute more than $1.9 million in "free care" to the "Poor Elderly" of our state.

As we meet the needs of North Carolina's fastest growing population from the mountains in the west to the farmlands of the east, we are grateful for the faithful generosity of our Baptist churches -- enabling Baptist Retirement Homes to make life for our "Aging Saints" . . . The Best of Times!

Richard C. Keel, Chair, Board of Trustees
William B. Stillerman, President

Baptist State Convention of North Carolina Annual Mission Report - 2003

The Baptist State Convention of North Carolina provides on-going leadership development and direct mission ministries through its General Board programs of work, primarily conducted by staff located at the Baptist Building in Cary.

The majority of the General Board-supported ministries are in the Mission Growth Evangelism and Congregational Services groups. In addition, many of the direct mission projects (partnership missions, etc.) are administered through the two convention auxiliaries---Baptist Men and Woman's Missionary Union. Many of these mission and ministries are conducted cooperatively with the various associations across the state.

Partnership mission projects (with the approximate number of volunteers) for 2003 include Honduras (700 volunteers), Alaska (1,000 volunteers) and Southeast Asia (75 volunteers). To date, almost 1,300 volunteers have served with the Baptist Men's Medical/Dental Bus in 42 associations across the state. In addition, 1,400 people were trained for disaster relief ministries.

The annual Baptist Men's Convention registered approximately 2,000 participants with 880 boys attending the Royal Ambassador Congress. The Co-ed Student Missions conference registered 45 participants with 500 people scheduled to attend the Camporee Project.

The estimated number of participants in Deep Impact and World Changers include Deep Impact Honduras (130), Deep Impact Spring Weekend at Caswell (300), Deep Impact Charlotte set for November (300) and Mission Connect (1,050).

Woman's Missionary Union of North Carolina provided training for over 2,000 people at the two weekend Missions Extravaganza meetings at Ridgecrest this year. During two weekend meetings, $13,454 was received to help with the Project HELP: Restorative Justice program.

WMU-sponsored events in 2003, and number of participants, include Baptist Nursing Fellowship (190), Girls in Action Days (645), Children in Action Days (175), Camp Mundo Vista summer program (1,069), GA Mother/Daughter Camp (354) and Young Women on Mission Retreat (225)...

Other WMU-related ministries for the year included training 566 ladies in associational leadership meeting, providing a woman's prison retreat at Camp Mundo Vista for 60 inmates, send 2,300 Red Christmas Boxes, 134 gifts to missionaries and conducting a ministers' wives retreat.

Christian Women's Job Corp (CWJC), a national WMU program designed to help women who need to enter the job market, includes 16 sites across the state, involving more than 95 volunteers. Since 1999, CWJC has served approximately 100 participants per year.

Student mission projects for 2003, and number of participants, include Youth Corp (21), BSU-funded (24), Wilmington Area Resort Ministries (4), Resort Area Ministry, Boone (2), Raleigh Area Ministry (2), Caraway (23), Mundo Vista (43), Praise and Worship Team (15) and Language Ministry with migrants (1).

International Student Ministry projects involve a fall conference at Ridgecrest (90 students) and a spring conference at Caswell (300 students). The BSC annual convention at Ridgecrest registered almost 400 students with 220 students attending the spring student leadership conference at Caraway.

Baptist State Convention congregational leadership projects are held across the state throughout the year, including the ETC (Equipping Today's Church) meetings at Ridgecrest and Caswell), Children's Bible Drills and Youth Speakers' Tournaments, youth weeks at Caswell, and program-related training events on a statewide, regional and associational levels.

In addition, the Baptist State Convention includes three social service agencies (Baptist Children's Homes, Baptist Retirement Homes and Baptist Hospital) and five college and universities (Chowan, Campbell, Wingate, Gardner-Webb and Mars Hill). The convention also supports two agencies--the Biblical Recorder and Baptist Foundation.

Biblical Recorder

2003 Associational Report

The *Biblical Recorder* is celebrating its 170th anniversary in 2003 by remaining true to its original mission of publishing relevant news and fostering healthy dialogue among members of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina.

The world is far different than it was when Thomas Meredith founded the *Biblical Recorder*, but the importance of communication and conversation among Baptists remains unchanged, and the current landscape has many similarities with the one Meredith faced in 1833. Baptists were struggling for growth and shaping their identity in 1833. In time, Baptists came to dominate the denominational landscape of North Carolina, but a variety of societal, demographic and other changes have diminished the overall Baptist presence once again.

And, as early Baptists were often divided over theology, with some clinging to predestination while others championed free will, today's North Carolina Baptists face a changing landscape that features a variety of ways to express our Baptist identity. It has never been more important for North Carolina Baptists to be informed of the many issues affecting Baptist life, mission work and mutual cooperation.

The *Biblical Recorder* exists to provide this needed service to Baptists in North Carolina and beyond. The *Recorder* staff works diligently to provide regular, dependable and balanced news coverage and analysis of the most significant matters relating to Baptist life. In addition, the *Biblical Recorder* includes a variety of supportive resources and feature articles designed to encourage and inspire as well as to inform.

The *Recorder* was privately owned and operated in support of Baptist work in North Carolina until 1938, when the paper was purchased by the Baptist State Convention and incorporated as an agency of the convention. It serves as the official news publication of the Convention, and seeks to serve the full spectrum of its churches.

The *Biblical Recorder* is widely acknowledged to be in the top echelon of state Baptist papers, winning national honors from the Baptist Communicator's Association for editorial writing in 2000, for design in 2001, and for news writing in 2000, 2001, and 2002 -- including the association's grand prize for news writing in 2001.

In addition to its printed form, the *Biblical Recorder* maintains a popular and rapidly growing presence on the World Wide Web at www.biblicalrecorder.org. The Web site provides much of each paper's content online, as well as to access classified ads, online Bible study resources and a portal to other news services. Thousands of interested readers around the world consult the online version regularly.

The Web presence became even more important in late 2003, as the *Recorder* shifted from a publication schedule of 40 issues per year to 27 regular issues plus periodic special issues. The move, made as a matter of stewardship, coincided with the addition of new features and improvements to the Website, including more frequent news updates.

As a BSCNC agency, the *Biblical Recorder* receives annual support from Cooperative Program gifts, making it possible to offer the *Recorder* at subscription rates below the actual cost. Subscription packets and free sample issues are available. For more information, please contact:

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Council on Christian Higher Education

Baptist State Convention of North Carolina

2003

Christian higher education represents one of the enduring values of the Baptist State Convention. Since it's founding in 1830, North Carolina Baptists have supported Christian higher education through gifts to the Cooperative Missions Budget, Baptist State Convention.

Our state and Convention depends upon the graduates of our institutions to lead us. The classrooms across our state are filled with teachers who have received their training from one of our campuses. North Carolina businesses are staffed with people who have been challenged during their formal education on our Baptist campuses to consider the ethical and moral consequences of their decisions. Our churches are filled with God called men and women who have undergone academic preparation to lead our churches, associations and Convention. Where would we be without those graduates?

This success story has been made possible as a result of the faithfulness of North Carolina Baptists who support the Baptist State Convention through their gifts to the Cooperative Missions Budget.

Our five Baptist campuses take pride in their association with our Convention. Campbell, Chowan, Gardner-Webb, Mars Hill and Wingate are institutions of Christian distinction. Each considers their Baptist witness to be a hallmark of their institutional mission.

Campbell, Chowan, Gardner-Webb, Mars Hill and Wingate welcome the challenge to prepare the next generation of leaders to serve our state and our Lord. A large majority of the students on each campus identify themselves as Baptist. Among those who are Baptist, some are receiving special financial support as a result of your faithfulness to our Convention's mission.

Last year six hundred eighty-seven (687) North Carolina Baptists received special scholarship aid made possible by your gifts to the Convention. This group represents five hundred four (504) different churches and seventy-three (73) different associations.

Churches that give through Optional Giving Plans B & C are helping another special group of North Carolina Baptists. Both giving plans make it possible for the Council to release theological grants to North Carolina Baptists who have heard God's Call and who are engaged in the pursuit of their first professional theological degree. Last year, 320 recipients received this special assistance. As one student told the Council office, "That grant was a major life-saver for me." His comments reflect other students' sentiments, as well.

What does the future hold?

No one knows for sure; but we know that our North Carolina Baptist colleges/universities will continue to receive your students and provide opportunities for them to grow intellectually and spiritually. We can be assured that when they graduate from our campuses, they will carry on with the tradition of those who preceded them through their service to our state and Convention.

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The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc. Annual Report

The mission of the North Carolina Baptist Foundation since its inception in 1920 has been to assist the Convention and its institutions and agencies in increasing an awareness among North Carolina Baptists of Christian estate stewardship principles as a means of financially undergirding churches, institutions and mission endeavors on a permanent basis. The uniqueness of the ministries and services provided by the institutions and General Board staff merits increased financial support. The Foundation accomplishes these objectives by offering assistance in estate-planning counsel, Will preparation, planned giving, charitable remainder trusts, endowment funds and church fund management.

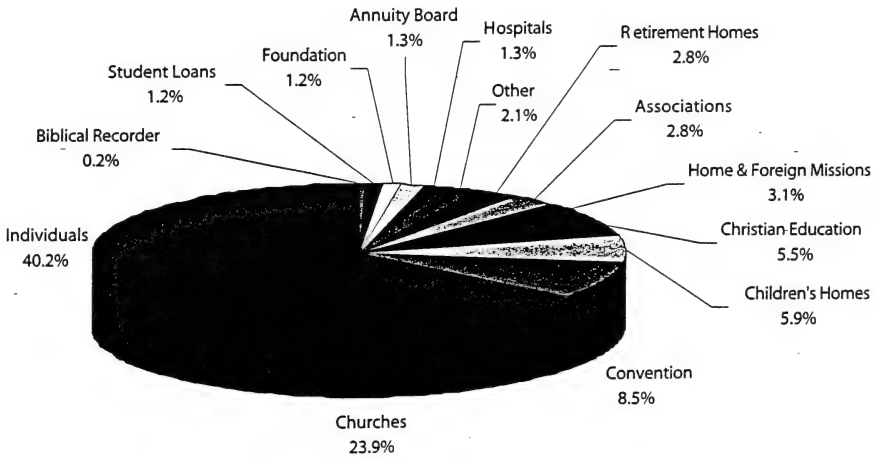
During 2002, the Foundation assisted individuals in establishing 28 endowment funds and 17 charitable remainder trusts totaling $1.5 million and received $3.3 million in contributions to existing endowments all of which will ultimately benefit countless Baptist causes on a permanent basis. Programs were provided for churches and associations during the year to promote Make Your Will Month, Christian estate stewardship, and church fund management. Over $1.5 million from churches and institutions came under management to enhance numerous ministries including scholarships, building funds, cemetery funds, benevolence funds, general operating funds and other various mission causes. Overall, the Foundation received $6.3 million in contributions during 2002 for Christian causes.

The Foundation employs professional money managers to invest these funds according to an investment policy adopted by its Board. Four investment pools are offered: a growth fund, a balanced fund, an income fund and a fixed income fund. The Foundation uses the services of Salomon Smith Barney Consulting Group to help select top money managers and evaluate performance. As of December 31, 2002, the Foundation held $96.4 million under management.

During 2002, our distributions totaled $5.8 million, with charity receiving $3.5 million and individuals, through trusts, receiving $2.3 million. During the 83-year history of The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc., $23.1 million has been distributed to individuals and $40.3 million to Baptist churches, institutions and mission causes for a grand historical total of $63.4 million.

Harold G. Koger, Chair, Board of Directors
M. Clay Warf, Executive Director

2002 Distributions



BAPTIST HOSPITAL AND NORTH CAROLINA BAPTISTS: EXTENDING THE HEALING TOUCH OF CHRIST

North Carolina Baptist Hospital admitted its first patient on May 30, 1923, culminating a vision of the Baptist State Convention to extend the healing ministry of Jesus Christ. Eighty years later, in 2003, we remain firmly committed to the original mission of providing the highest quality medical care marked by excellence, integrity, innovation, and compassion consistent with the teachings of Christ. This report highlights our partnership in missions with North Carolina Baptists.

BAPTIST BENEVOLENT CARE FUND

The Convention established the annual Mother's Day Offering in 1924 to help patients in financial need pay their hospital bills, to lift heavy burdens in the name of Jesus Christ and his love. Since that time every dollar of every gift has been used for that purpose–caring for children like Haleigh in her battle with cancer, and adults like Wade and Vickie. You have made a tremendous difference in their lives and many others just like them. Please read their inspiring stories of thankfulness in the new Mother's Day Offering web site (www.ncbhmothersday.org). ***Thank you***, North Carolina Baptists for giving $600,372 to this ministry in 2002.

SCHOOL OF PASTORAL CARE

The fruits of Cooperative Giving by North Carolina Baptists are evidenced in the life-changing ministries of the School of Pastoral Care. Our mission is ***"to provide ministries of growth, hope, and healing in the Spirit of Christ." Thank you***, North Carolina Baptists, for extending the healing reach of Christ to thousands of hurting people through our ministries.

Baptist Hospital CareNet Counseling Centers, our Department of Pastoral Counseling, annually provides over 24,500 hours of counseling at 22 locations across our state. This ministry brings emotional and spiritual healing, consistent with the compassion of Christ, to those who have been broken. Our counselors are licensed professionals with deeply held personal faith. They extend the ministry of churches, receiving many referrals from Baptist pastors on behalf of church members who are hurting. Approximately 40% of our counseling hours are provided to Baptists.

The Center of Congregational Health has continued to develop vital ministries. Nearly 600 church leaders received training in the past year through the Center's programs of ***leadership development***. "The Pastor as Spiritual Guide" and "Young Leaders" programs have proven to be highly beneficial for N. C. Baptist ministers, deepening their faith as spiritual leaders for their churches. Approximately 25 churches per month have benefited from the Center's ***consulting ministry***. Initial, expert consultations are provided free to N. C. Baptist churches thanks to Cooperative Giving. ***Intentional Interim ministers*** trained by the Center continue to serve churches in our state, across the nation, and Australia. Mentoring programs for young ministers are also being provided.

The Department of Chaplaincy and Pastoral Education provides ministry to patients, families, and staff through more than 61,000 pastoral contacts each year, extending great compassion and hope in the name of Jesus Christ. Specialized training in hospital ministry was provided to 63 students in the past year, making our Clinical Pastoral Education program one of the largest in the nation.

The Department of Church and Community Relations received no Cooperative Program funds, but serves as a vital liaison to N. C. Baptist churches, the department ministers to over 150 Baptists per year by facilitating physician appointments or helping others with concerns about medical bills. Many of those who are helped have no health insurance and are burdened by financial need.

ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS AT NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOSPITAL

Ministry to Ministers and Their Families -

- Baptist Hospital provides a ***subsidy of up to 25%*** for the hospital bills of N. C. Baptists ministers and their families. This amounted to $79,248 in FY 2003. The subsidy comes from the hospital's W.K.McGee Patient Service Fund, with assistance from the Mother's Day Offering as needed
- The ***Ministers Care Plan*** provides a subsidy to full-time, ordained ministers serving North Carolina Baptist churches, and their immediate family members, who need the support of counseling to recover from emotional pain and stress. Clients pay $20 per session at a CareNet Counseling Center. The Baptist State Convention and CareNet pay for the remainder of the cost. Please call Rev. Paul Mullen, Director of Church and Community Relations, for more information (336-716-3027).

Ranked Among the Nation's Best Hospitals

- North Carolina Baptist Hospital is ranked in the top 50 among ***"America's Best Hospitals"*** according to the July 2003 issue of *U. S. News and World Report*
- Our hospital continued to be ranked in the ***top 1 percent in patient satisfaction*** among our peers in the United States, according to Press Ganey, the health care industry's top patient satisfaction measurement firm.
- We continued to be recognized as a ***Magnet Hospital for Excellence in Nursing***, demonstrating outstanding nursing leadership and high quality patient care. Baptist Hospital was one of the first hospitals in the nation to earn this recognition from the American Nurses Credentialing Center, the nation's leading nursing credentialing organization.
- Our Medical Center's cancer treatment programs are ranked 21st in the nation by *U. S. News and World Report.* **A new facility for our Comprehensive Cancer Center** is under construction and due to open in June 2004. Patients will received coordinated care, such as required tests, scans, and treatment, in a single visit..

Information and Appointments

To make an appointment for yourself or a family member with a physician, or to receive information on health related issued, contact HEALTH-ON-CALL at 1-800-446-2255 or 336-716-2255.

CLOSING WORDS FROM THE PRESIDENT

The initial vision of North Carolina Baptists to extend the healing touch of Christ has unfolded in remarkable ways at Baptist Hospital over the past 80 years. As Christ ministered to those who were broken in body, mind, or spirit and made them whole, we continually strive to follow his example. We consider it a sacred responsibility and profound privilege to serve him in this mission of healing. We are thankful to you, North Carolina Baptists, for being our partners in ministry.

Respectfully submitted,

Len B. Preslar, Jr.
President
North Carolina Baptist Hospital

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CHRISTIAN ACTION LEAGUE OF NORTH CAROLINA

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ANNUAL REPORT TO THE ASSOCIATIONS - 2003

The Christian Action League of North Carolina, Inc. continues to work vigorously to address public policy and legislative matters from a Christian worldview. Our purpose is to assist the church in its mission to fulfill the Cultural Mandate. It is a joy to serve in this capacity. This report contains highlights of this year's efforts.

A. Promotion of Christian Values

- CAL continues to promote and distribute copies of the *Ten Commandments* across North Carolina. Over 18,000 have been distributed statewide. CAL has just created a new print of the *Ten Commandments* and its very first edition of *God's Covenant With America;* both of which will be ready for distribution in the near future. *God's Covenant With America* features an American paraphrase of Deuteronomy 8:7-20 written by CAL's Director. The new *Ten Commandments* print and *God's Covenant with America* can be purchased separately or together, simply as a print, or framed. Both can be beautifully displayed in a church, home or business.
- CAL has a new interactive website www.christianactionleague.net. The website not only provides information about CAL, but is designed to keep the church abreast of the latest developments in the General Assembly of North Carolina and the U.S. Congress. The website includes weekly editorials by its Executive Director, Rev. Mark Creech, as well as guest commentaries. Also included is a National Christian newswire that is updated daily, feature stories of Christians making a difference in the culture war and various other Christian resources.
- CAL continues to publish a weekly email "Issues Alert" that keeps approximately 1500 people on the frontlines of Christian activism. The email "Issues Alert" addresses increased by 500 people this year. It is designed not only to inform but also to stir God's people to take action via legislative contacts, etc. Those interested in receiving the weekly email Issues Alert should go to CAL's website at www.christianactionleague.net and click on "Be A Beacon of Light."
- Because Pornography has become a pervasive problem in the church as well as society, the Christian Action League now offers a Seminar to help pastors deal with its influence. The very first seminar, *The Pastor and Pornography,* was held this year in Lexington for the North Carolina Sheriff's Association. The seminar was so successful the same group has requested it be held for them a second time in October. Associational pastors' conferences or other groups interested in having the two-hour seminar should contact the Christian Action League.
- CAL's quarterly newsletter, *The Beacon,* was distributed only once this year. The newsletter is sent to approximately 23,000 people, but could not be sent for the 2nd and 3rd quarters of this year. The expenditure was unjustifiable because of a lack of funds. Pay for staff and critical legislative matters demanded all the financial resources available. CAL's objective is to revive the newsletter in the future in a way that will make it self-supporting.

B. Lobbying the Legislature

- This year most of CAL's lobbying was preoccupied with the numerous pieces of alcohol legislation that were introduced. Although CAL was unable to stop three alcohol bills that lowered the alcohol-to-food ratio in restaurants, broadened the scope of local option alcohol referenda, and allowed in-state and out-of-state wineries to deliver their products via the mail, we were able to stop five other serious alcohol measures. These measures were even more critical in their implications because they would have either ended local option alcohol referenda, made local option obsolete, bypassed local option, completely bypassed North Carolina's three-tiered system of alcohol control, or privatized alcohol sales in our State. We were able to help get **SB 996-ABC Sexually Explicit Conduct Banned** passed - a bill that bans sexually explicit conduct on ABC Licenses' premises.

- CAL also opposed a two year moratorium on the death penalty, lobbied in favor of "sin taxes" on alcohol and tobacco, as well as a ban on video poker, and succeeded in turning back the lottery.
- This year, CAL's name or the name of its Director were mentioned during debate on the House floor three different times as a means of clarifying, promoting or opposing a position on some piece of legislation. This is the first time anything of this nature has ever happened in CAL's history. This clearly demonstrates CAL's growing influence on North Carolina lawmakers.
- CAL presented the book, *It's Who You Know*, by Franklin Graham, to North Carolina lawmakers to show the importance of having a personal relationship with Christ and to say thank you for their service. While the Christian Action League focuses on legislative issues, Rev. Creech felt the Gospel of Christ was the most important issue he could share with the legislators.

C. Local Option Alcohol Referenda

- This year CAL assisted with five local option alcohol referendums. The results of those referendums include: 1 postponement, 1 defeat (referendum succeeded), 3 victories (referendum did not succeed).

For a Better North Carolina

Reverend Mark H. Creech
Executive Director

Reverend Coy Privette
President

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Pursuant to §55A-2-02 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, the undersigned corporation does hereby submit these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a nonprofit corporation.

ARTICLE I
NAME

The name of the corporation is **LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION**

ARTICLE II
DESIGNATION

The corporation is a charitable or religious corporation within the meaning of N.C.G.S. §55A-1-40(4).

ARTICLE III
REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is Route 8, Box 610, Bud Kanoy Road, Thomasville, Davidson County, North Carolina, 27360-7839, and the initial registered agent at that office is *Dr.* Richard H. Capps, Director of Missions.

ARTICLE IV
INCORPORATORS

The names and addresses of the incorporators, acting as representatives of the members of Liberty Baptist Association are as follows:

Moderator: J. Stuart White, 5694 E. Holly Grove Road, Thomasville NC 27360
Vice Moderator: Robert W. Cook, 485 Jr. Order Home Road, Lexington NC 27292
Clerk: Gail S. Beck, 361 Light Road, Thomasville NC 27360
Treasurer: Raleigh F. York, Jr., 22 Forest Drive, Thomasville NC 27360

ARTICLE V
MEMBERS

The corporation shall have one class of members as provided in the bylaws. Members shall be received, rejected, or withdrawn as set forth in the bylaws. The Baptist churches which are members of Liberty Baptist Association immediately prior to the incorporation thereof automatically shall become members of the corporation.

ARTICLE VI
DISSOLUTION

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the board of directors shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for religious purposes as shall qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue law) as the board of directors shall determine. Any such assets not disposed of shall be disposed of by the District Court of the County in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

ARTICLE VII
PURPOSE

The purposes for which the corporation is organized are:

A. to assist the churches of Liberty Baptist Association in their divinely appointed mission and in cooperative relationships with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, the Southern Baptist Convention, and other Baptist entities to promote and provide opportunities for individual and collective participation in missions, evangelism, ministry, education, social services, and distribution of the Bible;

B. to engage in any lawful act or activities for which corporations may be organized under N.C.

General Statutes Chapter 55A;

C. to engage in any lawful activity within the purposes for which the corporation may be organized which is incidental to and in furtherance of the exempt purposes of the corporation;

D. to operate exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and recreational purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE VIII
INITIAL DIRECTORS

The number of initial directors shall be One Hundred and Thirty-Four (134), and the initial directors shall be the duly-elected representatives from each member church of Liberty Baptist Association.

ARTICLE IX
GOVERNMENT

A. The government of this corporation is vested in its members who are represented in the manner set out in its bylaws. The members retain the right of self-government in all phases of the spiritual and temporal life of the association.

B. Churches received as members of this corporation as set out in the bylaws shall constitute the membership ("the members"). The members shall be represented by messengers as provided in the bylaws and shall have the sole authority to adopt and amend the charter and bylaws, approve budgets, receive and discharge members, govern and conduct the affairs of this corporation.

C. All internal groups, committees, directors, officers, agents, and/or employees created and empowered by the association ultimately shall report to and be accountable to the members and shall have such powers and duties as set out in the bylaws.

D. This association is autonomous and independent and is a sovereign and democratic association of Baptist churches under the Lordship of Jesus Christ. As such, the association is subject to the control of no other ecclesiastical body and does not claim and will never attempt to exercise any authority over any member church, auxiliary organization, or other Baptist body.

ARTICLE X
ELECTION AS 501(c)(3) CORPORATION

No part of the net earnings or receipts of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes as set forth in these Articles of Incorporation.

No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), or (b) by a corporations, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE XI
PERSONAL LIABILITY

Personal liability for all directors for monetary damages arising out of an action or actions, whether by or in the right of the corporation or otherwise for breach of any duty as a director is eliminated except with respect to acts, omissions, liabilities and/or transactions described and defined in North Carolina General Statutes §55A-2-02 (b),(4)(i),(ii),(iii), and (iv).

ARTICLE XII
EFFECTIVE DATE

These articles will be effective upon filing.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands, this the 21st day of November, 1994.

J. Stuart White
Robert W. Cook
Gail S. Beck
Raleigh F. York, Jr.

BYLAWS OF LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

ARTICLE I
NAME AND LOCATION

A. The corporate name of this nonprofit corporation shall be "Liberty Baptist Association" The principal and registered office of the Corporation shall be at 259 Bud Kanoy Road, Thomasville, 27360-0810, Davidson County, North Carolina.

B. All reference to "Association" or "Corporation" in the Articles of Incorporation, in the Bylaws, in Amendments, or other official action of the Association, shall signify the legal organization of Liberty Baptist Association as established in the Articles of Incorporation. Liberty Baptist Association as it has existed heretofore, for all legal and administrative purposes fully is incorporated into Liberty Baptist Association, a nonprofit corporation. References to votes of the membership shall have reference to a vote of the members of this Association as prescribed in Article VII F of these Bylaws.

ARTICLE II
PURPOSE

The purposes for which the Corporation is organized are:

A. to assist the churches of Liberty Baptist Association in their divinely appointed mission and in cooperative relationships with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, the Southern Baptist Convention, and other Baptist entities to promote and provide opportunities for individual and collective participation in missions, evangelism, ministry, education, social services, and distribution of the Bible;

B. to engage in any lawful act or activities for which corporations may be organized under N.C. General Statutes Chapter 55A;

C. to engage in any lawful activity within the purposes for which the Corporation may be organized which is incidental to and in furtherance of the exempt purposes of the Corporation;

D. to operate exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and recreational purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE III
ELECTION AS A 501(C)(3) CORPORATION

A. The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and recreational purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 50l(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law).

B. No part of the net earnings or receipts of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes as set forth in the Articles.

C. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the Corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the

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ARTICLE IV
GOVERNMENT

A. The government of this Association is vested in its members who are represented in the manner set out in its Bylaws. The members retain the right of self-government in all phases of the spiritual and temporal life of the association.

B. Churches received as members of this Association, as herein provided, shall constitute the membership ("the members"). The members shall be represented by messengers duly elected by each member church and certified to the Association in its Annual Church Profile (Church Letter), and the number of messengers shall be determined as follows:

- **a.** Six messengers from each church for its first one hundred members or fraction thereof;
- **b.** One additional messenger from each church for each additional fifty members or fraction thereof above 100 and up to 1,000 members;
- **c.** One additional messenger from each church for each additional one hundred members or major fraction thereof above 1,000 members;

The members represented by messengers as aforesaid shall have the sole authority to adopt and amend the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws, approve budgets, receive and discharge members, govern and conduct the affairs of this Corporation. In the event of death or resignation of a messenger, the member shall elect a successor messenger to fill the vacancy. The name of the messenger being replaced and the elected successor shall be furnished to the Clerk of the Association, in writing, and shall be presented at the next regular meeting of the Association.

C. All internal groups, committees, directors, officers, agents, and/or employees created and empowered by the Association ultimately shall report to and be accountable to the Association and shall have such powers and duties as hereinafter set out.

D. This Association is autonomous and independent and is a sovereign and democratic association of Baptist churches under the Lordship of Jesus Christ. As such, the Association is subject to the control of no other ecclesiastical body and does not claim and will never attempt to exercise any authority over any member church, auxiliary organization, or other Baptist body.

ARTICLE V
PROPERTY

A. The title to all property shall be in the Association.

B. The securing and maintaining of real, personal, and mixed property by this association shall be for the express purpose of providing facilities for and the engagement upon the missionary, educational, and benevolent interests of this association as historically have been espoused and practiced thereby and as are expressed in its charter and bylaws, which practices and documents are deemed the standard for uses and practices upon and with regard to such property.

C. Real property shall not be mortgaged, conveyed, transferred, or encumbered without the affirmative vote of three-fourths of the "Individuals entitled to vote," as hereinafter defined in Article VII, G., at an annual meeting or a regular meeting duly called for such purpose and stated in the meeting notice.

D. This article shall not be amended, altered, or repealed except by a three fourths vote of the "Individuals entitled to vote," as hereinafter defined in Article VII, G., at an annual or regular meeting duly called and then only in the event that such proposed amendment, alteration, or repeal has been given in writing to the Moderator and Executive Board and has lain on the table for a period of twelve months, and no article shall be voted upon until the period aforementioned has elapsed, any other provisions herein to the contrary notwithstanding.

ARTICLE VI
MEMBERS

A. **Record of Members:** The members of this Association shall be composed of the Baptist churches

who are members of Liberty Baptist Association on the date these Bylaws are adopted. The Clerk shall attach hereto a list of such present members which shall remain a part of the official records of the Association maintained at all times in the office of the Association. A current list of members shall be maintained at all times in the office of the Association.

B. **Organization of New Work Missions/Churches:** The Association by its nature and definition is an organization whose primary purpose is missions. In furtherance of these functions, the Association will attempt to develop and foster new work missions/churches and will remain available and will be resourceful in assisting groups or churches in their own development respectively of and as Baptist churches. The Association is mindful and responsive to the autonomous nature of the structure of its members and desires to inculcate in watch-care groups and churches their own independence while utilizing, without compulsion, the well-intended and well-respected practices of existing Baptist churches in historical Baptist precedence, all of which can be helpful during the organizational phases. To those ends and to effect these purposes, the Association will consider, promulgate, and maintain suggested guidelines for establishing and assisting new work missions/churches in their efforts. These guidelines shall be developed by the Missions Development Committee and approved by the Association. At such time as a group comes under watch care of the Association, a sponsoring church (member of the Association) shall be recommended by the Missions Development Committee in consultation with the Director of Missions and actively shall support such mission/church with any resource assistance required. The sponsoring church will work in cooperation with the Missions Development Committee and a Liaison Committee shall be formulated and shall be comprised of the following: Two persons from the sponsoring church; Two persons from the new mission/church; One person from the Missions Development Committee; and, Ex-officio, the Mission Pastor, Sponsoring Church Pastor, and Director of missions.

The Liaison Committee shall meet monthly and no less than bi-monthly during the formation period of the mission/church and shall assist in every reasonable manner with the development of the mission/church on behalf of the Association. In the event a sponsoring church cannot be secured, the Missions Development Committee shall be responsible for the sponsoring thereof on behalf of the Association. The mission/church shall remain under watch care of the Association until such mission/church is ready to constitute a self-supporting church and has fulfilled watch-care requirements.

C. **Admission of New Churches:** Any church seeking admission to the membership of the Association shall petition the Association in writing at least three months prior to the annual meeting of the Association. Such petition shall be referred to the Missions Development Committee for its study of the petitioning church's covenant, articles of faith, history, practices, cooperative spirit, its relations to other churches of the Association, and its willingness to abide by the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of the Association. A written report setting out its findings and recommendations for action at the next annual meeting of the Association shall be submitted by the Missions Development Committee to the Executive Board and the Association. Final approval for membership shall be contingent upon a one-year period under a watch-care relationship after which determination will be made by a three-fourths vote of "Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in VII, G., in annual meeting.

D. **Privileges of Membership:** Members through their messengers ("Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in Article VII, G.), and members through their messengers ("Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in Article VII, G.,) only, are entitled to vote in all elections and all questions submitted to the Association. Recognizing the value of voluntary association among churches of like faith and practice, members are afforded opportunity to work in mutual, cooperative fellowship with other churches, especially those of Baptist faith, to advance the gospel of Christ, to promote Christian principles of justice and righteousness in personal, social, and community life, to promote the spiritual welfare of all persons, to disseminate the work of God to the people of all nations through evangelistic, educational, and charitable missions.

E. **Requirements of Membership:** All members reasonably are required to submit a completed Annual Church Profile (Church Letter) to the Annual Meeting; send messengers to the annual

meeting; and, contribute to the financial program of the Association. Only members of the Association shall determine whether member churches have fulfilled requirements for membership.

F. **Termination of Membership:** The membership status of any member shall be terminated by written request of the member seeking termination addressed to the Association. Failure reasonably to meet requirements of membership as set out in paragraph E above for a period of two consecutive years after contact by the Missions Development Committee to ascertain the desire of the member church shall subject any member church to termination. No member may be expelled or suspended, and no membership may be terminated or suspended, except in a manner that is fair and reasonable and is carried out in good faith, and in compliance with the following procedures:

1. The Executive Board, by a three-fourths (3/4) vote of members present at a special meeting, duly called, must recommend termination of the subject member church.
2. Such recommendation, in writing, must be mailed to the subject member church and each member church sixty (60) days in advance of a special meeting of members.
3. The subject church shall have full and ample opportunity to present its position at such meeting.
4. Termination of membership shall occur only upon a three-fourths (3/4) vote of individuals entitled to vote.

G. **Watch-care Affiliation:** Watch-care affiliation for a period of one year shall be required for each church applying for membership in the Association. Each church under watch-care affiliation shall submit a quarterly report and an Annual Church Profile (Church Letter) to the Association.

ARTICLE VII
MEETINGS OF MEMBERS

A. **Annual Meeting:** The annual meeting of the Association shall be held on Monday following the first Sunday in October for the following purposes: to elect officers of the Association, standing committees, and special committees; to receive annual reports; to approve budgets; to conduct any other business matters which properly may come before the annual meeting; and, to share in worship and fellowship.

B. **Regular Meetings:** Regular meetings shall be held in January, April, and July to receive reports, to conduct business matters which properly come before the meeting, and to share in worship and fellowship.

C. **Special Meetings:** Special meetings for the transaction of business may be called by the Executive Board provided sufficient notice is given members to allow for two Sundays between the call and the meeting.

D. **Emergencies:** In emergencies, any change in the time and/or place of meetings shall be determined by a vote of two-thirds of the Executive Board present when the vote is taken.

E. **Presiding Officer:** The Moderator shall preside at all meetings of members. In the absence of the Moderator, the Vice Moderator shall preside. In the absence of the Moderator and Vice Moderator, the Clerk shall preside. In the absence of the aforementioned officers, the Treasurer shall preside. In the absence of all officers, the body may elect an acting moderator.

F. **Quorum:** Seventy-five (75) "Individuals entitled to vote," as hereinafter defined in Article VII, G., shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at any annual or special meeting of members.

G. **Voting:** Messengers who have been duly elected by a member, have been certified in its annual report to the Association, and are duly registered and present shall be collectively referred to as "Individuals entitled to vote" and shall be entitled to one vote at any meeting of members. No proxy or absentee voting shall be permitted. All voting shall be by show of hands, standing vote or voice vote except when there are contested matters in which case the vote shall be by ballot. Parliamentary procedure utilizing Robert's Rules of Order shall be followed.

ARTICLE VIII
EXECUTIVE BOARD

A. **Board of Directors:** All reference to "Executive Board" or "Board of Directors" in the Articles of Incorporation, in the Bylaws, in Amendments, or other official action of the Association shall be synonymous with and shall include conferring of powers as are provided by the Articles of

Incorporation, Bylaws, and the North Carolina Nonprofit Corporation Act.

B. **Membership:** The Executive Board membership shall consist of the following:

1. Officers duly elected by the Association, to-wit: Moderator, Vice Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer.
2. Standing Committee Chairpersons, Special Standing Committee Chairpersons, and Representatives, Director and Team Leaders as named in Article XI A and XI B.

C. **Officers:** The officers of the Executive Board shall be the same persons elected by the Association as Moderator (President), Vice Moderator (Vice President), Clerk (Secretary), and Treasurer.

D. **Meetings:** Regular meetings of the Executive Board shall be held at least quarterly. The first meeting, which shall be designated as the annual meeting, shall be held as soon as possible after the annual meeting of the Association, and the last meeting shall be held as nearly as possible to the next annual meeting of the Association for approval/endorsement of various Reports of the Association for the annual meeting.

Special meetings may be called by the Moderator whenever the need arises and the Moderator shall call a-special meeting when requested in writing by ten (10) members of the Executive Board.

E. **Quorum:** Eighteen (18) members of the Executive Board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

F. **Duties:** Except as restricted by the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws or other official action of the Association, the Executive Board shall manage the general business and activities of the Association between meetings of members; and shall call special meetings of the Association. Executive Board shall plan and correlate the activities of the Association and make recommendations to the Association. The Executive Board shall present a written report of action taken to the Association at its next regular or annual meeting for ratification and approval of action so taken between meetings.

G. **Contracts:** As instructed and authorized by the Association, the Executive Board may authorize officers to enter into contracts or execute and deliver instruments on behalf of the Association, and such authority may be general or confined to specific instances subject only to limitations provided herein.

H. **Loans:** No loans shall be contracted on behalf of the Association and no evidence of indebtedness shall be issued in its name unless authorized by a resolution of the Executive Board pursuant to specific authority of the Association. Such authority may be general or confined to specific instances.

I. **Depository:** The Executive Board shall have the power to (a) select one or more banks to act as depositories of the funds of the Association; (b) determine the manner of receiving, depositing, and disbursing the funds of the Association; (c) designate the person or persons authorized to draw on the bank accounts of the Association; (d) approve the form of checks to be used in drawing on such bank accounts; and, (e) change such banks, the person or persons drawing on such accounts, and the form of checks at will.

J. **Removal:** Board members, as well as officers of the Association, may be removed by majority vote of the Association at a properly called business meeting, with written notice to members setting out the specific purpose of the meeting.

K. **Death, Resignation or Termination:** In the event a Board member shall expire, resign, or for any reason be removed from the Executive Board, the Association shall fill the vacancy for the unexpired term.

ARTICLE IX
OFFICERS

A. **Officers Generally:** There shall be a Moderator who shall also serve as Moderator and Chairman of the Executive Board and President of the Corporation. There shall be a Vice Moderator who shall also serve as Vice Moderator of the Executive Board and Vice President of the Corporation. There shall be a Clerk who shall also serve as Clerk of the Executive Board and Secretary of the Corporation. There shall be a Treasurer who shall also serve as Treasurer of the Association and of the Corporation. Whenever used in the Articles of Incorporation, in the Bylaws, in Amendments, or in other official action of the Association, the words "Moderator or "President;" "Vice Moderator"

or "Vice President;" or "Clerk" or "Secretary" shall be synonymous.

B. Moderator:

1. Election and Term: The Moderator shall be elected annually at the annual meeting of the Association for a term of one year and may be re-elected for a one-year term. The Moderator shall be ineligible for re-election as Moderator for a period of two years after having served two one-year terms. The term of office shall begin at the close of the annual meeting and shall continue through the close of the next annual meeting or until a successor is elected.

2. Duties: The Moderator shall

a. preside at the annual meeting, regular meetings, and any special meeting of the Association;

b. serve as President of the Corporation;

c. preside at all meetings of the Executive Board;

d. perform such other duties as are specifically prescribed in these Bylaws and as may be delegated by the Association;

e. serve with other officers to recommend a Committee on Nominations to the Association for election at its July meeting;

f. appoint other committees when so directed by the Association or Executive Board; and

g. serve as ex officio member of all committees except the Committee on Nominations.

C. Vice Moderator

1. Election and Term: The Vice Moderator shall be elected annually at the annual meeting for a term of one year and may be re-elected for a one-year term. The Vice Moderator shall be ineligible for re-election as Vice Moderator for a period of two years after having served two one-year terms. The term of office shall begin at the close of the annual meeting in which such election is held and shall continue through the close of the next annual meeting or until his successor is elected.

2. Duties: The Vice Moderator shall

a. preside at meetings of the Association and Executive Board in the absence of the Moderator or at the pleasure of the Moderator;

b. serve as Vice President of the Corporation;

c. serve with other officers to recommend a Committee on Nominations to the Association for election at its July meeting; and

d. perform such other duties as may be specifically prescribed in these Bylaws and as may be delegated by the members.

D. Clerk

1. Election and Term: The Clerk shall be elected annually at the annual meeting for a term of one year.

2. Duties: The Clerk shall

a. serve as Secretary of the Corporation and of the Executive Board;

b. maintain at all times a current list of members of the Association;

c. maintain and preserve the files, records, and documents of the Association in proper order at all times for examination by the Executive Board;

d. send report forms to members at least one month before the annual meeting of the Association;

e. prepare a composite record of the member information included in the annual report submitted to the Association and distribute copies thereof at the annual meeting;

f. supervise the printing of minutes of the Association and distribute to the members as soon as possible after the annual meeting;

g. preserve the files, records, and documents of the Association and, upon election of a successor, relinquish such files, records, documents, and other property belonging to the Association and in the possession and control of the Clerk to the duly elected successor; and

h. preside at meetings in the absence of the Moderator and Vice Moderator at the pleasure of the moderator.

E. Treasurer

1. Election and Term: The Treasurer shall be elected annually at the annual meeting for a term of one year.

2. Duties: The Treasurer shall

a. serve as Treasurer of the Corporation;

b. have custody of all funds of the Association;

c. maintain at all times up-to-date, orderly records of all receipts and disbursements;

d. disburse funds by check in accordance with the budget and direction of the Association or Executive Board;

e. prepare quarterly financial reports and distribute copies to the Finance Committee and the Executive Board;

f. prepare a financial report and distribute copies at the annual meeting;

g. serve as a member of the Finance Committee;

h. cooperate with the firm making the annual audit; and

i. serve with other officers to recommend a Committee on Nominations to the Association for election at its July meeting.

j. preside at meetings in the absence of the Moderator, Vice Moderator and Clerk at the pleasure of the moderator.

F. Assistant Treasurer

1. Election and Term: The Assistant Treasurer shall be elected annually at the annual meeting for a term of one year.

2. Duties: The Assistant Treasurer shall, during periods of incapacity or absence of the Treasurer, perform the duties assigned to the Treasurer in paragraph E. 2 as required and shall assist the Treasurer as directed and required by the Treasurer.

ARTICLE X
STAFF

A. Staff Positions: The staff of the Association shall be composed of the Associational Missionary, Office Manager, and such other persons who shall fill staff positions as may be created by the Association. The Personnel Committee shall make recommendation for the creation of any staff position. A current list of staff positions shall be maintained by the Personnel Committee. A job description for each staff position shall be prepared and shall be revised periodically by the Personnel Committee, approved by the Executive Board, and furnished to all candidates considered for the position and the person filling the position. Staff positions may be combined from time to time at the discretion of the Personnel Committee and the Executive Board and the combined position held by one person.

B. Election/Employment: Except in the case of the Associational Missionary, the staff members from time to time shall be employed for indeterminate terms by the Association or Executive Board at a regular meeting upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

C. Termination: With the exception of the Associational Missionary, termination of the relationship between a staff member and the Association shall occur within a reasonable and announced period after written notice of termination delivered to the staff member on behalf of the Association and to the Personnel Committee and the Executive Board on behalf of the staff member. Termination of the staff member by the Association shall be initiated and acted upon by the Executive Board upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

D. Vacation and Leave: Requirements for vacation and leaves, record-keeping, expense reimbursement, work schedules, and other employment matters shall be outlined in the Policy Manual and Benefit Plans. Such manual shall be prepared, reviewed, monitored, and amended from time to time by recommendation of the Personnel Committee to the Executive Board; and the staff shall be subject to the provisions thereof from time to time; provided, nothing therein contained shall be interpreted to be in derivation or in violation of the provisions of the Bylaws, and such Policy Manual and Benefit Plans must remain consistent with the purposes and intent requirements thereof.

E. Associational Missionary

1. Search Committee Procedure: When a vacancy occurs in the position of Associational Missionary or the Associational Missionary furnishes notice of intent to vacate the position, a Search Committee composed of the officers of the Association and five members of the Missions

Development Committee elected by the Association shall meet as soon as possible, determine their procedure, establish a profile, prepare application forms and reference questionnaires, and shall diligently seek to find an Associational Missionary who, by calling, training, and ability, is qualified spiritually, mentally, and physically to lead the work of the Association. The Moderator shall serve as Chairperson of the Search Committee. Members of the committee may be reimbursed by the Treasurer for any necessary and reasonable travel and subsistence expenses which are incurred in the performance of their duties. The candidate to be recommended by the Search Committee may be interviewed by the Missions Development Committee/Executive Board before presenting the candidate to the Association in annual meeting.

2. Election/Employment: When the Search Committee has selected a potential employee and is ready to make a report and recommendation to the Association, such recommendation shall be made to the Association at its next meeting. Upon a vote being taken, the Associational Missionary presented must receive at least three-fourths of all votes cast. If the Associational Missionary fails to receive the required three-fourths vote, the Moderator shall declare the nominee not elected/employed and shall refer the matter, without debate, to the Search Committee for further investigation and further recommendation under the foregoing procedure.

3. Duties: The **Associational Missionary** shall

a. fulfill all duties under the direction of the Personnel Committee and the Executive Board;

b. serve ex officio in a supervisory capacity on all committees of the Association unless otherwise provided in these Bylaws;

c. promote the work of the Association and denomination;

d. cooperate with members, their pastors, officers, and committees of the Association;

e. present oral reports to the Missions Development Committee, the Executive Board and Association meetings;

f. present a written report to the annual meeting of the Association;

g. assist the Clerk in preparation of the composite record of members from information submitted in their annual report to the Association;

h. assist the Clerk in preparing the annual minutes of the Association.

4. Termination: The Associational Missionary shall be employed for an indeterminate term. The Associational Missionary shall give reasonable notice of intent to resign or retire to the Personnel Committee and the Executive Board. The Associational Missionary may be removed by an affirmative vote of three-fourths of the "Individuals entitled to vote," as heretofore defined in Article VII, G., at a meeting properly called with ten days written notice to the Associational Missionary and written notice of the meeting to the members as required by the Bylaws.

5. Interim Associational Missionary: The Executive Board, in consultation with the Personnel Committee, shall be responsible for recommending to the Association the employment of an Interim Associational Missionary when the Association is without an Associational Missionary.

6. Extended Leave or Absence: During any extended leave or absence of the Associational Missionary for medical or other appropriate reasons and with advice of the Personnel Committee, the Executive Board shall make such necessary, temporary or emergency decisions as reasonably shall be required.

ARTICLE XI
COMMITTEES

A. Standing Committees:

Except as hereinafter provided, Standing Committees of the Association shall be as follows: Audit Committee, Building and Grounds Committee; Bylaws Committee; Ethnic Ministries Committee; Evangelism Committee; Finance Committee; Historical Committee; Memorials Committee; Meeting Program Committee; Missions Development Committee; Music Committee; Nominating Committee; Ordination Examining Committee; Pastoral Ministries Committee; Personnel Committee; Place and Preacher Committee; Resolutions Committee; Scholarship Committee; Senior Adult Committee; Sunday School Committee; Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee and Youth Ministries Committee shall have membership of not less than three persons and general responsibilities respectively as follows:

1. **Audit Committee:** The Audit Committee shall make an audit or review of the records and receipts of the Association on a regular basis. A report shall be made to the Finance Committee in writing as to findings, needed adjustments and suggestions. The committee will meet at least two times a year with the Treasurer as ex-officio member to review the quarterly updated finance reports and records. The annual audit report or review shall be completed by September 30 and presented in writing in the Book of Reports as part of the Finance Committee report. The Audit Committee shall have the option of recommending a review of the financial records or a complete audit of the financial records. The Audit Committee shall recommend to the appropriate Executive Board and Association meeting, prior to the Annual Session, whether a review or complete audit of the Financial Records is needed. The Audit Committee is responsible for doing the necessary research to answer any questions concerning Financial Records that may be raised by member churches, messengers, or Executive Board members within a reasonable period.
2. **Building and Grounds Committee:** The Building and Grounds Committee shall plan for adequate maintenance, repairs, alterations, improvement, and housekeeping of the physical properties of the Association; upon request of the Associational Missionary, assist in considering approval for special use of the facilities of the Association; and, prepare and submit an appropriate budget request for consideration and inclusion in the proposed budget.
3. **Bylaws Committee:** The Bylaws Committee shall consider requests for amendments, alterations, or revisions of the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws and shall make recommendations to the Association with respect thereto; and, periodically review and make recommendations for amendments, alterations, or revisions of the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws.
4. **Ethnic Ministries Committee:** The Ethnic Ministries Committee will encourage cooperation among the churches to minister to the international groups in the area. This will involve various ministries including but not limited to: (1) computer opportunities; (2) medical/dental bus; (3) English as a second language; (4) literacy classes; (5) migrant ministries; (6) resource information for ethnic ministries (food banks, medical assistance, locations of ESL classes, etc.); (7) conversational Spanish classes, and (8) international population incorporation into a new culture.
5. **Evangelism Committee:** The Evangelism Committee will lead the Association (churches and programs) to address the priority of evangelism in its area and will include in its program: life-style evangelism; church evangelism committee development; evangelism strategy development; mass evangelism; personal evangelism; rural and small church evangelism; metropolitan evangelism; specialized evangelism; renewal evangelism, and evangelism prospect discovery. The committee will coordinate with other committes and member churches the festival ministries and special event ministries for evangelistic outreach in the Association.
6. **Finance Committee:** The Finance Committee shall consist of the Treasurer, Assistant Treasurer and four persons. The Finance Committee shall study, formulate, and recommend a budget adequate to support the program of the Association; formulate plans for promotion of the budget and cooperation of members in meeting budget needs; review the quarterly and annual financial reports of the Treasurer; review and monitor budget line item expenses; present periodical reports of contributions to members of the Association; and, present a written report to the quarterly and annual meeting of the Association. The Finance Committee shall study all financial matters which may be presented at an Association or Executive Board Meeting and report its findings before action is taken.
7. **Historical Committee:** The Historical Committee shall consist of the Historian and two other persons. The Historical Committee shall collect and preserve historical data of the association, encourage and promote the preservation of historical data by member churches, and present oral and written reports to meetings of the Association.
8. **Memorials Committee:** The Memorials Committee shall prepare a report of individuals who have expired since the last annual meeting as reflected in the Annual Church Profile

(Church Letter) to the Association furnished by the members and shall conduct a brief, appropriate Memorial Service for such individuals during the Annual Meeting.

9. **Meeting Program Committee:** The Meeting Program Committee shall consist of the elected chairman, the Moderator, Clerk, Place and Preacher Committee chairman, Associational Music Director, and the Pastors of host churches for the annual and regular meetings of the Association. The Meeting Program Committee shall plan the annual and regular meetings of the Association, prepare a printed program for each of these meetings, and send a copy of the printed program to all persons on the program and members at least ten days prior to the meeting. This committee shall present the printed program for adoption at the opening of each meeting and serve through all meetings when adjustments of the program are necessary.

10. **Missions Development Committee:** The Missions Development Committee will lead the association (churches and programs) to address the priority missions frontiers in their area through work with church mission development committees, missions survey and analysis, church extension, language missions, church and community ministries, volunteer chaplaincy ministries, interfaith witness, black church relations, and special ministries. The Missions Development committee will be responsible for assisting in the organization and admission of new churches as more specifically set out in Article VI B and C. The Missions Development Committee shall coordinate mission ministry projects in consultation with other committees of the Association as needed.

11. **Music Committee:** The Music Director elected by the Association shall serve as chairman of the Music Committee. Other members of the committee will be the music directors of each of the churches hosting the meetings of members. Music directors who served for the previous year will be ex officio members of the committee. The Music Committee will seek to enhance the redemptive mission of churches through establishing, conducting, enlarging, and improving their music ministries. It will provide musical experiences in congregational services; develop musical skills, attitudes, and understandings; witness and minister through music; interpret and undergird the work of the church and the denomination.

12. **Nominating Committee:** The Nominating Committee shall consist of five individuals recommended to the annual meeting by the Committee on Nominations and shall meet as often as necessary to fill vacancies and prepare nominations for the annual meeting of the association; seek to fill all positions with the best qualified nominees, avoiding the nomination of one individual for more than one position and distributing obligations and privileges of service to member representation; contact all nominees and secure consent before making recommendations to the Association; recommend to the Association during the annual meeting the officers, chairpersons, members of each standing committee, teams, and representatives, unless otherwise provided in these Bylaws; recommend to the Association individuals to fill vacancies which may occur between annual meetings of the Association.

13. **Ordination Examining Committee:** Each church of the Association shall have the exclusive right to ordain for the ministry without Associational involvement. However, member churches shall have the option to utilize the Associational Ordination Examining Committee as hereinafter set out. The Ordination Examining Committee shall consist of five persons. The Ordination Examining Committee shall receive requests from churches within the Association who wish to examine a candidate for ordination to the Gospel ministry; cooperate with the church requesting examination in setting a mutually satisfactory date for examination; question the candidate for ordination; report its findings to the church making such request for examination; approve for ordination only the candidate who has received a call to serve in an ordained Christian ministry of any kind including, but not limited to that of a member church of the Association, or Baptist churches outside the Association; to serve on the mission field, or to serve as a chaplain in the armed forces or a public institution; and, shall have the option to summons pastors and one lay person from any or all cooperating member churches of the Liberty Baptist Association.

14. **Pastoral Ministries Committee:** The Pastoral Ministries Committee will assist pastors and staff by being a friend and resource. The committee will offer help and wisdom to ministers in planning new ideas, implementation, and how to bring about change within their congregation. This committee will visit and welcome new ministers and help them establish a good foundation in their new work.

15. **Personnel Committee:** The Personnel Committee shall consist of five persons. Except as otherwise provided in Article X, E., the Personnel Committee shall receive applications, interview applicants, contact references, and carefully investigate those being considered for staff positions; and shall recommend the prospective employee. They shall make recommendation to the Association the need for any new staff position; shall prepare, periodically review, revise, and recommend changes in job descriptions to the Executive Board; shall prepare, periodically review, revise and recommend changes to Personnel Policy Manual and Benefits Plan; periodically evaluate personnel performance and make necessary recommendations to the staff; consult with and perform duties as set out in Article X of these Bylaws. The Personnel Committee shall establish a salary plan and prepare budget requests and submit such budget requests to the Finance Committee of the Association.

16. **Place and Preacher Committee:** The Place and Preacher Committee shall solicit and receive invitations from churches to host the meetings of the members. The committee shall recommend the preacher and an alternate preacher for the meetings of the members. Recommendations for meeting places and the preacher and alternate preacher shall be made to the members at the annual meeting.

17. **Resolutions Committee:** The Resolutions Committee shall consist of five persons. The Resolutions Committee shall review all properly submitted resolutions which may be reworded for clarity, combined with like issues into one resolution, or rejected if previously addressed or are inappropriate; present all appropriate resolutions to the Association for consideration; prepare and present resolutions of appreciation and other resolutions deemed appropriate; and, notify persons submitting resolutions of the disposition thereof.

18. **Scholarship Committee:** The Scholarship Committee shall carry out the duties and obligations set out in the Guidelines for the Scholarship Committee of the Randall M. and Callie Sue Leonard Michael Scholarship as amended from time to time.

19. **Senior Adult Committee:** The Senior Adult Committee will plan activities and ministry projects for member church senior adults and will communicate any appropriate state and national conferences and Chautauguas to member churches.

20. **Sunday School Committee:** (Also known as ACTeam, Associational Consultant Team Training) The Sunday School Committee will assist and challenge churches to improve and enlarge all areas of their Sunday School through planning, training, administration activities, consultation, program interpretation, and cooperative projects. It will encourage and assist churches to understand that the Sunday School is the foundational strategy in a local church for leading people to faith in the Lord Jesus Christ and for the building of Great Commission Christians through Bible study groups that engage people in evangelism, discipleship, fellowship, ministry and worship.

21. **Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee:** Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee (Foreign, Home, State, Association Missions) shall receive information, work with the Missions Development Committee, provide leadership and orientation for partnership project participants as needed. They will prepare a report for the annual meeting of the Association of work accomplished.

22. **Youth Ministries Committee:** The Youth Ministries Committee shall plan youth related ministries for the Association including retreats, rallies, and volunteer training.

B. **Election and Term:** The Standing Committees listed in Section A of this Article and the chairperson respectively thereof shall be nominated by the Nominating Committee and elected at the annual meeting of the Association. The term of office shall be one year beginning at the adjournment of the annual meeting in which the election was held.

C. **Other Committees and Councils:** The Association may create such other committees ~~and councils~~, not inconsistent with the Articles of Incorporation and these Bylaws, as may from time to time be required.

D. **Special Standing Committees, Auxiliary, Teams, & Representatives:** Special Standing Committees, Auxiliary, Teams, and Representatives of the Association are Brotherhood/Baptist Men Committee/Leadership Team, the Committee on Nominations, Woman's Missionary Union, and Representatives as from time to time needed as determined by the Association upon recommendation of the Executive Board. Unless otherwise set out herein, nominations shall be made by the Nominating Committee for election at the annual meeting of the association for a term of one year beginning at the adjournment of the annual meeting in which the election was held. Each such standing committee, auxiliary, team, and representative shall furnish a written report for inclusion in the Book of Reports at the annual meeting and their other specific responsibilities are as follows:

1. **Brotherhood/Baptist Men Committe/Leadership Team:** The Brotherhood/Baptist Men Committee/Leadership Team will assist churches in involving men and boys in missions; helping churches engage men and boys in missions activities; helping churches prepare to teach missions to men and boys; helping churches lead men and boys to pray for and give to missions; helping churches lead men and boys to develop personal ministry; and helping churches interpret and undergird the work of the church and the denomination.
2. **Committee on Nominations:** The Committee on Nominations shall consist of three persons who shall be nominated by the officers and elected by the Association at the July meeting. The Committee on Nominations shall serve until the annual meeting when its report is made to the Association. The duty of the Committee on Nominations shall be to nominate the Nominating Committee at the Annual Meeting and to recommend to the Association individuals to fill any Nominating Committee vacancies during the year.
3. **Woman's Missionary Union:** The Woman's Missionary Union of Liberty Baptist Association is an auxiliary of Liberty Baptist Association. The Woman's Missionary Union is governed by its Constitution and Bylaws and elects its director, officers, and leadership team and are included for information in the Book of Reports of the Association. The Director of Woman's Missionary Union serves on the Missions Development Committee and Executive Board with full voting privileges.
4. **Bi-Vocational Ministers Representative:** A Bi-Vocational minister (active or retired) shall be elected to address needs of the Bi-Vocational ministerial staff.
5. **Christian Life and Public Affairs Representative:** A Christian Life and Public Affairs Representative will assist churches in awareness of critical moral and social issues and in leading in Christian action to meet these needs; in applying the gospel to all areas of life, in demonstrating responsible concern for society; in broadening cooperative efforts and emphases; and, in mobilizing and equipping the constituency to be on mission in regard to moral and ethical concerns. Areas of involvement include family life, race relations, citizenship, hunger, and other special moral concerns.
6. **Discipleship Training Representative:** A Discipleship Representative will assist churches in starting, improving, and expanding Christian discipleship through Discipleship Training to help churches equip church members for discipleship and personal ministry; teach Christian theology and Baptist doctrine, Christian ethics, Christian history, and church polity and organization; equip church leaders for service; and interpret and undergird the work of the church and Association.
7. **Hunger Awareness Representative:** A Hunger Awareness Representative will keep abreast of hunger needs throughout the world and apprize the Association of these needs. Upon request, the representative will assist churches in projects within the Association to meet specific needs.
8. **Seminary Extension Representative:** The Seminary Extension Representative will seek to provide college-level theological education to ministers and laypersons and basic theological education to ministers who lack formal education. The representative will assist in securing necessary curriculum materials, administrative services, promotional materials,

training materials for teachers, academic records, and certification of centers and teachers.

9. **Stewardship Representative:** The Stewardship Representative will assist churches in development of individual and corporate stewardship, interpretation of Biblical teachings on stewardship, and elevation of individual giving and corporate mission giving in light of Biblical teachings.

ARTICLE XII
ADOPTION AND AMENDMENT OF BYLAWS AND CORPORATE DOCUMENTS

A. Adoption:

These Bylaws shall be considered adopted and in immediate effect when a majority of the "Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in Article VII, G., at an annual meeting or a regular meeting shall vote in favor thereof. This vote shall be taken not less than thirty days after mailing a copy of these Bylaws to each member.

B. Amendment:

These Bylaws, the Articles of Incorporation, or any parts thereof may be amended, altered, or repealed only by a majority vote of "Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in Article VII, G., at the annual meeting or a regular meeting of the Association.

C. Preservation:

A copy of all original corporate records, including but not limited to the Articles of Incorporation, the Bylaws, and Personnel Policies, shall be maintained at all times by the Clerk in the office of the Association; and copies of the same shall be kept in separate locations. All amendments to said documents or to any provisions thereof shall be prepared promptly after adoption by the Association; and the Secretary shall cause the same and copies to be typed or printed in proper form and attached to the originals of respective documents and kept as above stated.

ARTICLE XIII
GENERAL AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

A. Fiscal Year:

The fiscal year of the Association shall be from September 1 to August 31.

B. Reports:

Reports of officers, committees, auxiliary, teams, representatives, and church letters to the annual meeting of the Association shall cover the period from September 1 to August 31. All reports for the annual meeting shall be in writing for inclusion in the published Book of Reports and shall be limited to 250 words.

C. Audit:

An annual audit or review of the financial records of the Association shall be conducted by an independent accounting firm elected by the Association upon recommendation of the Audit Committee and the Executive Board.

D. Records:

The membership rolls, minutes of meetings, and annual reports shall be available at all reasonable times for all reasonable purposes.

E. Policy Manual:

The Policy Manual shall contain documents of procedure and the adopted Budget and Nominations Report not inconsistent with the Articles of Incorporation and these Bylaws from various committees and councils that have been recommended to and approved by the Association. These policies will be governing rules and procedures of the respective committees and councils of the Association. They may be amended by the Association upon recommendation of the Executive Board.

F. Seal:

There shall appear within the center of the Corporate Seal of the Association the words "Corporate Seal," around which shall appear two concentric circles within which will be inscribed Liberty Baptist Association of North Carolina, 1832. Such seal, as impressed on the margin hereof, is hereby adopted as the corporate seal of the Corporation.

G. Gender:

The use of terms in these Bylaws that may in other contexts tend to denote gender is intended to be

neutral as to gender. The masculine shall be deemed to include the feminine and the feminine deemed to include the masculine.

H. Majority:

Unless these Bylaws or The General Statutes of North Carolina otherwise require a different number, a majority of those in attendance at any meeting of members or the Executive Board with a quorum present shall be required to effect any action.

As amended 10/7/96; 10/6/97; 10/5/98; and 10/1/2001.

HISTORICAL TABLE

Year	Where Held	Preacher	Moderator	Clerk
1832	Jamestown-1	George W. Purefoy	Wm Burch	Peter Owens
1833	Holloways	Jonah Williams	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1834	Abbotts Creek	Eli Carroll	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1835	Liberty	John Culpepper	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1836	Jersey	Eli Carroll	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1837	Lick Creek	Peter Owens	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1838	Abbotts Creek	Benjamin Lanier	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1839	Pine Meeting H-2	Eli Carroll	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1840	Holloways	Josiah Williams	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1841	N. Friendship	Benjamin Lanier	Gershom Tussey	Peter Owens
1842	Reeds X Roads	Barton Roby	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1843	Lick Creek	Benjamin Lanier	Benajmin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1844	Abbotts Creek	Wm. Turner	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1845	Jersey	Alfred Kenney	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1846	Lick Creek	Wm. Turner	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1847	Abbotts Creek	Wm. Turner	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1848	Reeds X Roads	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1849	Big Creek-3	Azariah Williams	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1850	Jamestown-1	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1851	Liberty	Wm. Turner	Wm. Turner	Azariah Williams
1852	Holloways	Z. Minor	Wm. Turner	Azariah Williams
1853	Abbotts Creek	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1854	Reeds X Roads	Alfred Kenney	Joseph Spurgeon	Azariah Williams
1855	Lick Creek	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1856	Abbotts Creek	Unknown	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1857	Reeds X Roads	Wm. Lambeth	Amos Weaver	Azariah Williams
1858	Holloways	Amos Weaver	Amos Weaver	Azariah Williams
1859	N. Friendship	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	J. H. Owens
1860	Jersey	Wm. Turner	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1861	Lick Creek	J. B. Jackson	J. B. Jackson	Azariah Williams
1862	Abbotts Creek	F. H. Jones	J. B. Jackson	Azariah Williams
1863	Thomasville	T. W. Tobey	J. B. Jackson	Azariah Williams
1864	Lick Creek	W. H. Hammer	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1865	No Session Held			
1866	Abbotts Creek	W. T. Walters	Benjamin Lanier	J. H. Owens
1867	Jersey	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	J. H. Owens
1868	Abbotts Creek	W. H. Hammer	Benjamin Lanier	J. H. Owens
1869	Big Creek-3	A. P. Stoker	Wm. Turner	J. H. Owens
1870	Pine Meeting H-2	Wm. Turner	Wm. Turner	J. H. Owens
1871	N. Friendship	W. M. Wingate	Wm. Turner	J. H. Owens
1872	Holloways	H. Morton	J. H. Brooks	J. L. Pleasant
1873	Lick Creek	Thomas Carrick	H. Morton	Thomas Carrick
1874	Muddy Creek-4	A. F. Redd	Wm. Turner	Thomas Carrick
1875	Reeds X Roads	C. T. Bailey	Wm. Turner	Thomas Carrick
1876	High Point	H. W. Reinhart	Wm. Turner	Thomas Carrick
1877	Big Creek-3	I. B. Richardson	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1878	Abbotts Creek	H. W. Reinhart	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1879	Liberty	Harvey Hatcher	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1880	Holloways	S. F. Conrad	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1881	Jersey	Henry Sheets	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1882	Muddy Creek-4	S. H. Thompson	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets

Year	Where Held	Preacher	Moderator	Clerk
1883	Pine Meeting H-2	O. F. Gregory	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1884	Summerville	S. H. Thompson	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1885	Lexington	I. B. Richardson	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1886	Abbotts Creek	I. B. Richardson	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1887	Lick Creek	Henry Sheets	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1888	Reeds X Roads	C. Durham	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1889	N. Friendship	W. F. Watson	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1890	Jersey	J. M. Bennett	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1891	Pine Meeting H-2	J. F. Fant	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1892	High Point	Henry Sheets	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1893	Kernersville	R. T. Bryan	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1894	Holloways	R. Vandeventor	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1895	Pleasant Grove-6	J. M. Hilliard	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1896	Denton	Henry Sheets	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1897	Piney Grove-5	W. H. Rich	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1898	Rich Fork	J. H. Lambeth	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1899	Abbotts Creek	S. B. Wilson	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1900	Reeds X Roads	W. H. Rich	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1901	Lexington	C.A.G. Thomas	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1902	Lick Creek	Henry Sheets	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1903	Jersey	W. A. Smith	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1904	Pine Meeting H-2	Geo. P. Harrill	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1905	N. Friendship	John R. Miller	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1906	Thomasville	J. S. Famer	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1907	Wallburg	R. T. Vann	J. W. Nowell	P. S. Vann
1908	Denton	M. L. Kesler	J. W. Nowell	P. S. Vann
1909	Liberty	S. D. Swaim	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1910	Orphanage	O. A. Keller	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1911	Abbotts Creek	G. A. Martin	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1912	Stoners Grove	O. A. Keller	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1913	Rich Fork	M. L. Kesler	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1914	Holloways	G. A. Martin	G. A. Martin	Henry Sheets
1915	Center Hill	O. A. Keller	O. A. Keller	Henry Sheets
1916	Wallburg	J. M. Mercer	O. A. Keller	Henry Sheets
1917	Smith Grove	Fred D. Hale	R. S. Green	Henry Sheets
1918	Lexington	M. L. Kesler	R. S. Green	Archibald Johnson
1919	Denton	R. E.White	R. S. Green	Archibald Johnson
1920	N. Friendship	J. S. Hardaway	R. S. Green	Archibald Johnson
1921	Churchland	M. L. Kesler	R. S. Green	Archibald Johnson
1922	Summerville	W. A. Hough	R. S. Green	Paul C. Newton
1923	Abbotts Creek	W. L. Barrs	Archibald Johnson	Paul C. Newton
1924	Reeds	C. H. Trueblood	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1925	Liberty	C. A. Owens	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1926	Rich Fork	E. N. Gardner	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1927	Thomasville	H. T. Penry	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1928	Holloways	M. L. Kesler	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1929	Stoners Grove	J. H. Hayes	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1930	Abbotts Creek	M. L. Kesler	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1931	Denton	M. O. Alexander	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith
1932	Lexington	G. A. Martin	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith
1933	Lick Creek	E. F. Mumford	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith
1934	Jersey	W. L. Warfford	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith

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1935	Mills Home	E. C. Roach	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1936	Reeds	J. A. Nellson	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1937	Churchland	W. K. Mcgee	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1938	Denton	John A. McMillan	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith
1939	Wallburg	H. M. Stroup	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1940	Center Hill	L. S. Gaines	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1941	N. Friendship	N. C. Teague	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1942	Liberty/Abbotts Creek	I. G. Greer	H. M. Stroup	Sam J. Smith
1943	Lexington	B. A. Mitchell	H. M. Stroup	Sam J. Smith
1944	Thomasville	C. B. Atkinson	H. M. Stroup	Sam J. Smith
1945	Jersey	J. Roy Clifford	N. C. Teague	A. L. Snider
1946	Denton	V. W. Sears	N. C. Teague	A. L. Snider
1947	Wallburg	E. F. Baker	N. C. Teague	A. L. Snider
1948	Smith Grove	Chas. F. Leek	N. C. Teague	A. L. Snider
1949	Sheets Memorial	J. O. Walton	J. O. Walton	A. L. Snider
1950	Stoners Grove/Holloways	C. M. Pegram	J. O. Walton	A. L. Snider
1951	Greenwood/Rich Fork	C. C. Edinger	J. O. Walton	A. L. Snider
1952	Churchland/Reeds	W. C. Reed	Sam J. Smith	W. H. Lomax
1953	N. Friendship/Welcome	J. T. Davis	Sam J. Smith	W. H. Lomax
1954	Oak Hill/Abbotts Creek	Robert Taylor	J. O. Walton	W. H. Lomax
1955	Jersey/Lexington,First	Elmer W. Day	J. O. Walton	W. H. Lomax
1956	Mills Home	W. N. Brookshire	J. Roy Clifford	J. Wade Jarrett
1957	Denton,First/Center Hill	Clarence Jenkins	J. Roy Clifford	J. Wade Jarrett
1958	Southside/Liberty	F. M. Powell	W. N. Brookshire	J. Wade Jarrett
1959	Reeds/Coggins Mem	Guy C. Moore	W. N. Brookshire	J. Wade Jarrett
1960	Wallburg/Greenwood	Inman Stewart	Leonard Rollins	Robert Nation
1961	Churchland/Smith Grove	W. H. Walton	Leonard Rollins	Robert Nation
1962	Oak Hill/Rich Fork	Fred Jurney	Roger Williams	Wm. F. Bowen, Jr.
1963	Erlanger/Park Place	Leonard Rollins	Roger Williams	Wm. F. Bowen, Jr.
1964	Carolina Mem/Stoner Gr	Charles Yount	B. V. Broadway	Wm. F. Bowen, Jr.
1965	Abbotts Cr/N.Friendship	Kenneth Miller	Carl Hemphill	Wm. F. Bowen, Jr.
1966	Thomasville,1st/Center Hill	Bennie Crawford	Carl Hemphill	Richard Chapman
1967	Mills Home/Rich Fork	D. Hoke Coon	Bennie Crawford	Richard Chapman
1968	Lexington,First/Jersey	Carl Hemphill	Bennie Crawford	Dale R. Martin
1969	Denton,First/Summerville	H. M. Baker	William C. Adams	Dale R. Martin
1970	Hasty/Oak Hill	Jack Byrd	Jack Byrd	Dale R. Martin
1971	Welcome,First/Holloways	Melvin Greene	Jack Byrd	Morris Hollifield
1972	Greenwood/Hillside Park	Dean Harrold	Melvin Greene	Morris Hollifield
1973	Southside/Coggins Mem	James M. Lambert	Melvin Greene	Morris Hollifield
1974	Wallburg/Park Place	Dale R. Martin	Melvin Greene	Morris Hollifield
1975	Liberty/Carolina Mem	John H. Pace	Lamar L. Moore	Morris Hollifield
1976	Reeds/Smith Grove	Morris Hollifield	Lamar L. Moore	Morris Hollifield
1977	Welcome,First/Abbotts C.	Clyde B. Case	John H. Pace	Morris Hollifield
1978	Rich Fork/Calvary	Lamar L. Moore	John H. Pace	Morris Hollifield
1979	Churchland/N. Lexington	Jimmie Edwards	Max Evington	Morris Hollifield
1980	Jersey/Liberty	George Williamson	Max Evington	Morris Hollifield
1981	Coggins Mem/Southgate	Hugh Biggers	Warren Kerr	Morris Hollifield
1982	Abbotts Creek/Center Hill	Max Evington	Warren Kerr	Morris Hollifield
1983	N. Friendship/Wallburg	Dearl L. Bunce	Franklin Myers	Morris Hollifield
1984	Rich Fork/Greenwood	Robert Floyd	Brooks Hunt	Judy Wood
1985	Mills Home/Cedar Lodge	B. V. Broadway	Brooks Hunt	Judy Wood
1986	Carolina/Hasty/Victory	Roy Cantrell	Brooks Hunt	Judy Wood

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1987	Churchland/Welcome, 1st	Jake Sharpe	Roy Cantrell	Judy Wood
1988	Thomasville,1st/Park Place	Warren Kerr	Roy Cantrell	Judy Wood
1989	Reeds/Smith Grove	Paul Millwood	Morris Hollifield	Judy Wood
1990	Lexington,1st/N.Lexington	Brooks Hunt	Morris Hollifield	Judy Wood
1991	Denton,1st/Mills Home	Roy Queen	Gary Myers	Judy Wood
1992	Wallburg/Abbotts Creek	Charles Dickens	Gary Myers	Judy Wood
1993	Southside/Faith	Gary Myers	Bruce Hill/ Charles Penley, Jr.	Gail Beck
1994	Rich Fork/Oak Hill	Byron Barker	Charles Penley, Jr.	Gail Beck
1995	Jersey/Summerville	Warren Kerr	Stuart White	Gail Beck
1996	Coggins Mem/Lakeview	Fred Miller	Stuart White	Gail Beck
1997	Center Hill/Holloways	Leonard Rollins	Charles Dickens	Gail Beck
1998	Carolina Mem/ Thomasville, 1st	Charles Penley, Jr.	Charles Dickens	Gail Beck
1999	Lexington, 1st/ Stoner's Grove	Markus Sink Ray Howell, III	Markus Sink	Gail Beck
2000	Carolina Mem/Abbotts Cr.	E. Mark Blair	Markus Sink	Gail Beck
2001	Winter-Coggins Mem	Michael Ester	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
	Spring-Southgate	Steve Martin	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
	Summer-Denton 1st	Mike Cummings	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
	Annual-Welcome, 1st	Steve Jarvis	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
2002	Winter-Reeds	Steve Zimmerman	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
	Spring-New Friendship	Randy Stewart	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
	Summer-Cedar Lodge	George Thomason	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
	Annual-Churchland	Lowell Askins	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
2003	Winter-Greenwood	Wayne Oakes	Michael Collier	Gail Beck
	Spring-Colonial	Vern Peterson	Michael Collier	Gail Beck
	Summer-Center Hill	Richard Brunson	Michael Collier	Gail Beck
	Annual-Wallburg	Charles Tanner	Michael Collier	Gail Beck

1. Is now High Point
2. Is now Churchland
3. Is now Eldorado
4. Is now Clemmons
5. Is now Wallburg
6. Is now Randleman

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DIGEST OF CONGREGATIONAL PROFILES FOR 2002-2003 ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR

				1	Total Membership			
				3	Total Baptisms			
				4	Other Additions			
				15	Total SS Enrollment			
				16	SS Average Attendance			
				18	Vacation Bible School			
				19+20	Total DT Enrollment/Participation			
				21	Music Min Total Enrollment			
No.	**Congregation**	**1**	**3**	**4**	**15**	**16**	**18**	**19+20**
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	846	22	27	483	289	614	249
2	AMITY	90	2	0	34	25	29	0
3	ANTIOCH	62	5	0	51	35	0	0
4	CAROLINA MEMORIA	862	7	12	494	271	188	99
5	CEDAR LODGE	252	2	3	118	68	82	48
7	CENTER HILL	292	0	4	124	73	67	17
7	CENTRAL	115	8	6	76	65	80	17
8	CHURCHLAND	466	5	5	183	115	90	17
9	CLEARVIEW	145	3	1	47	32	0	0
10	COGGINS MEMORIAL	630	13	11	463	175	185	92
11	COLONIAL	282	2	7	137	100	80	28
12	DENTON, FIRST	366	1	1	178	88	60	3
13	FAITH	167	4	6	78	43	88	24
14	FLOYD	111	2	2	36	29	44	0
15	GREENWOOD	420	10	18	203	140	165	0
16	HASTY	236	1	0	37	25	0	0
17	HIGH ROCK	67	0	0	20	18	0	0
18	HILLSIDE PARK	720	4	6	205	142	132	0
19	HOLLOWAYS	200	2	6	118	69	94	0
20	JERSEY	494	10	14	275	199	108	124
21	LAKEVIEW	163	3	0	41	25	53	9
22	LEXINGTON, FIRST	899	3	30	555	267	180	0
23	LIBERTY	716	2	3	169	130	71	0
24	LICK CREEK	99	3	2	63	44	91	0
25	MILLS HOME	1,000	10	0	102	75	0	75
26	MOUNTAIN VIEW	169	0	0	68	50	76	0
27	NEW FRIENDSHIP	532	13	23	251	182	119	0
28	NORTH LEXINGTON	303	4	7	231	170	192	13
29	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	309	4	2	131	82	92	74
30	OAKHURST	28	0	0	13	13	0	0
31	PARK PLACE	509	11	7	361	250	143	56
32	REEDS	512	8	0	274	180	117	22
33	RICH FORK	1226	29	87	984	478	269	315
34	SMITH GROVE	416	8	10	150	94	189	16
35	SOUTHGATE	520	1	1	183	87	97	108
36	SOUTHSIDE	345	3	2	79	64	89	0
37	STONERS GROVE	339	5	10	106	56	52	0
38	SUMMERVILLE	435	14	8	179	129	202	85
39	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	525	0	0	195	105	0	39
40	TRINITY	144	5	2	81	44	72	14
41	VICTORY	92	0	0	79	49	27	0
42	WALLBURG	398	9	5	227	90	83	31
43	WELCOME, FIRST	862	13	30	498	292	301	132
	TOTALS	17,364	251	358	8,380	4,957	4,621	1,707

			23	WMU Total Enrollment					
			24	Brotherhood Total Enrollment					
		26+27+28		Total Receipts					
		29 thru 35		Total Mission Expenditures					
			29	Cooperative Program					
			30	Associational Missions					
			36	Congregational Value					
			37	Church Literature					
No.	**21**	**23**	**24**	**26+27+28**	**29-35**	**29**	**30**	**36**	**37**
1	119	109	65	675,082	84,783	9,450	7,375	3,000,000	19,682
2	14	22	0	29,810	1,125	0	600	254,700	738
3	0	26	9	92227	19,608	4,934	750	400,000	1,439
4	107	116	105	519,775	89,146	33,899	15,521	3,000,000	14,919
5	45	51	25	173,469	25,304	14,618	2,000	936,500	1,530
6	16	44	0	100,298	12,768	1,300	1,200	1,200,000	4,093
7	36	25	10	112,569	3,328	754	852	475,000	0
8	76	41	15	209,741	11,433	7,000	1,200	2,000,000	5,146
9	21	0	0	33,800	927	0	200	75,000	880
10	104	55	41	785,666	55,096	20,217	13,447	2,500,000	9,390
11	65	38	33	262,951	32,268	16,921	4,232	1,600,000	6,446
12	17	34	0	245,492	81,054	8,739	4,371	2,000,000	4,031
13	17	12	13	47,806	6,926	1,132	600	375,000	2,779
14	16	0	0	27,969	4,380	650	400	210,000	1,066
15	112	43	30	216,153	17,673	5,500	2,500	1,650,000	5,133
16	15	0	0	68,593	5,006	3,890	435	700,000	1,134
17	14	0	0	5,417	0	0	0	250,000	206
18	91	22	16	258,057	4,649	0	1,200	1,500,000	4,381
19	20	32	12	89,940	16,981	9,688	2,422	750,000	4,173
20	121	129	18	318,206	62,567	20,000	3,750	3,767,800	12,879
21	6	8	0	39,897	4,073	1,650	372	430,000	621
22	165	105	12	910,039	179,073	25,000	4,400	5,000,000	10,500
23	32	47	38	167,120	14,329	6,860	1,929	2,041,000	4,140
24	21	13	0	48,648	5,132	420	275	269,500	992
25	142	4	0	5,535	150	100	50	1,000,000	0
26	23	20	20	66,650	8,095	4,500	1,000	500,000	1,431
27	43	36	30	352,872	68,255	17,506	6,681	2,000,000	3,948
28	72	69	12	266,778	27,478	20,179	1,100	1,875,000	5,532
29	37	26	0	158,548	10,612	2,160	2,800	1,250,000	4,708
30	0	0	0	0	100	0	0	80,000	300
31	44	36	38	289,059	32,444	15,648	6,102	1,250,000	6,759
32	103	66	29	337,570	46,330	25,701	10,362	1,500,000	6,029
33	246	168	0	1,920,267	63,099	48,429	3,000	4,205,000	14,531
34	16	44	26	130,378	30,587	9,104	2,250	1,667,700	5,892
35	45	26	25	181,314	17,183	5,273	5,040	1,649,900	3,400
36	30	25	15	147,121	18,539	10,615	3,185	1,463,800	2,731
37	27	18	22	97,294	15,435	6,600	1,200	524,250	3,245
38	50	52	69	172,245	20,550	13,287	4,065	1,242,900	4,500
39	58	85	0	240,340	19,238	7,232	3,546	2,577,000	5,072
40	16	44	5	104,910	23,603	4,810	3,188	500,000	3,000
41	10	0	0	67,534	10,462	640	440	740,000	1,111
42	39	69	30	219,420	14,874	6,000	2,333	1,000,000	4,280
43	121	101	35	594,055	80,048	49,363	12,469	2,104,000	11,708
	2,372	1,861	798	$10,790,615	$1,244,711	$439,769	$138,842	$61,514,050	$204,475

MEMBER/CONGREGATION INFORMATION FOR 2002-2003 ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR

1 Total Membership		4 Other Additions		
2 Resident Membership		5 New Member Training		
3 Total Baptisms		6 Year Organized		
a-Birth-5		7 Year Pastor Came		
b-Ages 6-8		8 LOCATION CODE		
c-Ages 9-11		A-Open Country	MEDIUM CITY	
d-Ages 12-17		B-Village	E-Downtown	
e-Ages 18-29		C-Town	F-Neighborhood	
f-Ages 30-59		D-Small City	G-Suburbs	
g-Ages 60 & Up				

No.	Congregation	County	1	2	3	3a	3b	3c	3d	3e
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	Davidson	846	76	22	0	5	7	5	0
2	AMITY	Davidson	90	90	2	0	0	0	0	0
3	ANTIOCH	Davidson	62	62	5	0	0	2	1	0
4	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	Davidson	862	673	7	0	1	2	1	0
5	CEDAR LODGE	Davidson	252	142	2	0	0	1	1	0
6	CENTER HILL	Davidson	292	160	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	CENTRAL	Davidson	115	113	8	0	0	0	3	1
8	CHURCHLAND	Davidson	466	400	5	0	0	2	1	2
9	CLEARVIEW	Davidson	145	86	3	0	0	0	0	0
10	COGGINS MEMORIAL	Davidson	630	513	13	0	1	3	1	4
11	COLONIAL	Randolph	282	274	2	0	0	0	1	1
12	DENTON, FIRST	Davidson	366	358	1	0	0	0	0	0
13	FAITH	Davidson	167	158	4	0	2	0	1	0
14	FLOYD	Davidson	111	81	2	0	0	0	2	0
15	GREENWOOD	Davidson	420	354	10	0	3	2	1	2
16	HASTY	Davidson	236	177	1	0	0	0	0	0
17	HIGH ROCK	Davidson	67	50	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	HILLSIDE PARK	Davidson	720	720	4	0	0	0	1	2
19	HOLLOWAYS	Davidson	200	114	2	0	0	0	0	2
20	JERSEY	Davidson	494	378	10	0	2	0	4	2
21	LAKEVIEW	Davidson	163	71	3	0	0	0	1	0
22	LEXINGTON, FIRST	Davidson	899	716	3	0	2	0	0	0
23	LIBERTY	Davidson	716	682	2	0	0	1	1	0
24	LICK CREEK	Davidson	99	69	3	0	0	0	2	1
25	MILLS HOME	Davidson	1,000	13	10	0	0	0	9	1
26	MOUNTAIN VIEW	Davidson	169	133	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	NEW FRIENDSHIP	Forsyth	532	511	13	0	2	0	6	0
28	NORTH LEXINGTON	Davidson	303	283	4	1	1	0	1	1
29	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	Davidson	309	292	4	0	2	0	0	1
30	OAKHURST	Davidson	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
31	PARK PLACE	Davidson	509	478	11	0	5	0	2	1
32	REEDS	Davidson	512	338	8	0	3	1	2	1
33	RICH FORK	Davidson	1,226	1,194	29	0	3	10	5	1
34	SMITH GROVE	Davidson	416	341	8	0	1	3	2	0
35	SOUTHGATE	Davidson	520	265	1	0	0	0	0	0
36	SOUTHSIDE	Davidson	345	345	3	0	0	0	0	0
37	STONERS GROVE	Davidson	339	182	5	0	0	0	1	2
38	SUMMERVILLE	Davidson	435	385	14	0	2	1	2	2
39	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	Davidson	525	398	0	0	0	0	0	0
40	TRINITY	Davidson	144	134	5	0	0	0	2	0
41	VICTORY	Davidson	92	92	0	0	0	0	0	0
42	WALLBURG	Davidson	398	346	9	1	1	1	0	1
43	WELCOME, FIRST	Davidson	862	720	13	0	2	1	2	3
	TOTALS		17,364	12,967	251	2	38	37	61	31

				9	AM Worship Service Attendance								
				10	Church-Type Missions Started								
				11	Church-Type Missions Operated								
				12	Lost/Unchurched (Y/N)								
				13	Associational Giving on Percentage Basis (Y/N)								
LARGE CITY				14	Intercessory Prayer Ministry (Y/N)								
H-Downtown													
I-Neighborhood													
J-Suburbs													
No.	**3f**	**3g**	**4**	**5**	**6**	**7**	**8**	**9**	**10**	**11**	**12**	**13**	**14**
1	4	1	27	33	1832	2001	A	363	0	0	Y	Y	Y
2	2	0	0	0	1976	1986	A	35	0	0	Y	N	Y
3	1	1	0	0	1996	1996	A	45	0	0	N	N	N
4	2	1	12	0	1930	2003	F	308	0	1	Y	Y	Y
5	0	0	3	18	1963	2000	F	125	0	0	Y	Y	Y
6	0	0	4	0	1907		G	85	0	0	N	N	Y
7	2	2	6	0	1993	1999	D	90	0	0	Y	Y	Y
8	0	0	5	0	1837	1992	A	250	0	0	N	Y	Y
9	3	0	1	0	1953	1998	F	55	0	0	N	N	N
10	4	0	11	0	1951	1990	F	199	0	1	Y	Y	Y
11	0	0	7	0	1989	1998	C	135	0	0	Y	Y	Y
12	0	1	1	2	1891	1989	C	132	0	0	N	Y	Y
13	1	0	6	0	1973	2003	A	65	0	0	Y	Y	Y
14	0	0	2	0	1942	1994	A	26	0	0	N	N	N
15	2	0	18	0	1946	1999	F	192	0	0	Y	N	Y
16	1	0	0	0	1957		A	45	0	0	N	Y	Y
17	0	0	0	0	1947	1997	A	22	0	0	N	N	N
18	1	0	6	0	1964	1978	C	293	0	0	Y	N	Y
19	0	0	6	0	1836	2002	A	99	0	0	Y	Y	Y
20	2	0	14	12	1755	1998	A	217	0	0	Y	Y	Y
21	2	0	0	0	1944		A	30	0	0	Y	Y	N
22	1	0	30	15	1881	1990	F	500	0	0	Y	N	Y
23	0	0	3	0	1828	2002	A	120	0	0	Y	N	Y
24	0	0	2	0	1787	1993	A	59	0	0	Y	N	Y
25	0	0	0	0	1891	1992	F	85	0	0	N	N	Y
26	0	0	0	0	1939	2000	A	50	0	0	Y	N	Y
27	3	2	23	33	1827	2000	A	195	0	0	N	Y	N
28	0	0	7	11	1916	1975	F	190	0	0	Y	Y	Y
29	1	0	2	0	1939	1989	A	150	0	0	N	N	Y
30	0	0	0	0	1968	1991	A	13	0	0	N	N	Y
31	3	0	7	0	1938	1994	F	175	0	0	Y	Y	Y
32	1	0	0	0	1795	1998	A	200	0	0	N	Y	Y
33	6	4	87	35	1884	1982	g	850	0	1	Y	Y	Y
34	2	0	10	12	1909	2001	A	110	0	0	Y	Y	Y
35	1	0	1	0	1946	1998	F	150	0	0	Y	Y	Y
36	1	2	2	0	1913	1999	C	68	0	0	Y	Y	Y
37	2	0	10	0	1900	2001	A	91	0	0	N	Y	Y
38	7	0	8	10	1873		A	180	0	0	Y	Y	Y
39	0	0	0	0	1859	1999	E	125	0	0	Y	N	Y
40	3	0	2	0	1981	1997	A	76	0	0	Y	Y	Y
41	0	0	0	0	1954		A	67	0	0	N	N	Y
42	5	0	5	15	1892	2002	B	149	0	0	Y	Y	Y
43	5	0	30	42	1911	1999	D	335	0	0	Y	Y	Y
	68	14	358	238				6,749	0	3			

	BIBLE STUDY/SUNDAY SCHOOL INFORMATION FOR 2002-2003 ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR							
			15	Total SS Enrollment				
				a-Birth-5				
				b-Ages 6-11				
				c-Ages 12-17				
				d-Ages 18-24				
				e-Ages 25-34				
				f-Ages 35-54				
No.	**Congregation**	**15**	**15a**	**15b**	**15c**	**15d**	**15e**	**15f**
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	483	47	63	54	27	65	148
2	AMITY	34	0	4	0	0	4	12
3	ANTIOCH	51	6	3	4	0	4	5
4	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	494	42	52	62	9	16	89
5	CEDAR LODGE	118	7	13	16	5	8	12
6	CENTER HILL	124	7	11	14	4	10	18
7	CENTRAL	76	7	5	13	2	5	6
8	CHURCHLAND	183	20	24	13	11	22	26
9	CLEARVIEW	47	3	2	3	3	4	14
10	COGGINS MEMORIAL	463	31	43	61	45	45	109
11	COLONIAL	137	9	20	22	0	22	12
12	DENTON, FIRST	178	18	14	24	14	20	27
13	FAITH	78	7	10	10	6	5	14
14	FLOYD	36	4	4	5	0	0	7
15	GREENWOOD	203	12	22	21	18	18	25
16	HASTY	37	1	1	2	0	4	2
17	HIGH ROCK	20	0	5	0	2	3	5
18	HILLSIDE PARK	205	21	20	18	7	46	40
19	HOLLOWAYS	118	8	12	11	3	8	20
20	JERSEY	275	25	20	13	10	34	39
21	LAKEVIEW	41	2	9	4	0	6	2
22	LEXINGTON, FIRST	555	37	30	54	19	74	112
23	LIBERTY	169	12	6	9	6	11	39
24	LICK CREEK	63	9	6	15	1	5	12
25	MILLS HOME	102	8	10	50	3	15	10
26	MOUNTAIN VIEW	68	3	4	11	2	9	11
27	NEW FRIENDSHIP	251	38	27	27	3	4	84
28	NORTH LEXINGTON	231	16	33	27	9	10	40
29	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	131	14	14	15	0	8	53
30	OAKHURST	13	1	0	2	0	1	4
31	PARK PLACE	361	12	28	29	1	53	50
32	REEDS	274	22	29	34	24	20	29
33	RICH FORK	984	80	92	114	142	102	267
34	SMITH GROVE	150	8	15	19	4	17	24
35	SOUTHGATE	183	29	14	33	15	20	19
36	SOUTHSIDE	79	11	14	9	4	4	8
37	STONERS GROVE	106	11	11	8	3	12	8
38	SUMMERVILLE	179	3	40	38	6	6	33
39	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	195	4	21	24	4	3	23
40	TRINITY	81	4	6	14	12	0	20
41	VICTORY	79	3	4	4	3	3	7
42	WALLBURG	227	22	22	15	6	24	48
43	WELCOME, FIRST	498	59	50	50	34	123	70
	TOTALS	8,380	683	833	971	467	873	1,603

		g-Ages 55-64					
		h-Ages 65 and up					
		i-General Officers					
		j-Other Bible Study					
	16	SS Average Weekly Attendance					
	17	Non Congregation Member					
	18	Vacation Bible School					
No.	**15g**	**15h**	**15i**	**15j**	**16**	**17**	**18**
1	47	27	5	0	289	0	614
2	3	9	2	0	25	4	29
3	5	24	0	0	35	0	0
4	113	108	3	0	271	19	188
5	25	24	2	6	68	7	82
6	29	27	4	0	73	10	67
7	20	3	0	15	65	0	80
8	22	38	7	0	115	46	90
9	5	12	1	0	32	0	0
10	52	70	7	0	175	60	185
11	35	12	5	0	100	0	80
12	24	18	8	11	88	12	60
13	5	20	1	0	43	0	88
14	4	12	0	0	29	3	44
15	35	48	4	0	140	15	165
16	10	15	2	0	25	0	0
17	2	3	0	0	18	0	0
18	31	10	12	0	142	0	132
19	19	36	1	0	69	20	94
20	23	76	0	35	199	10	108
21	8	8	2	0	25	4	53
22	38	89	7	95	267	11	180
23	14	67	5	0	130	38	71
24	3	12	0	0	44	5	91
25	4	0	1	1	75	0	0
26	16	12	0	0	50	0	76
27	35	31	2	0	182	41	119
28	42	50	4	0	170	5	192
29	0	23	4	0	82	0	92
30	1	1	3	0	13	7	0
31	36	48	4	100	250	113	143
32	45	65	6	0	180	30	117
33	88	79	20	0	478	120	269
34	32	27	4	0	94	5	189
35	27	21	5	0	87	20	97
36	4	18	7	0	64	15	89
37	18	32	3	0	56	4	52
38	8	42	3	0	129	0	202
39	13	103	0	0	105	6	0
40	4	21	0	0	44	5	72
41	10	23	0	22	49	0	27
42	25	60	5	0	90	10	83
43	64	38	10	0	292	50	301
	1,044	1,462	159	285	4,957	695	4,621

DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING INFORMATION FOR 2002-2003 ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR							
		19	TOTAL ONGOING DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING				
			a-Birth-5				
			b-Ages 6-11				
			c-Ages 12-17				
			d-Ages 18 & Up				
			e-DT General Offiers				
No.	**Congregation**	**19**	**19a**	**19b**	**19c**	**19d**	**19e**
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	47	11	13	21	0	2
2	AMITY	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	ANTIOCH	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	59	7	31	11	5	5
5	CEDAR LODGE	24	0	1	2	20	1
6	CENTER HILL	17	0	4	7	0	6
7	CENTRAL	7	0	0	0	6	1
8	CHURCHLAND	17	0	0	9	6	2
9	CLEARVIEW	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	COGGINS MEMORIAL	80	10	19	21	26	4
11	COLONIAL	28	0	6	9	12	1
12	DENTON, FIRST	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	FAITH	24	0	2	1	20	1
14	FLOYD	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	GREENWOOD	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	HASTY	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	HIGH ROCK	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	HILLSIDE PARK	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	HOLLOWAYS	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	JERSEY	81	8	11	12	47	3
21	LAKEVIEW	9	0	3	4	0	2
22	LEXINGTON, FIRST	0	0	0	0	0	0
23	LIBERTY	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	LICK CREEK	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	MILLS HOME	75	8	10	50	7	0
26	MOUNTAIN VIEW	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	NEW FRIENDSHIP	0	0	0	0	0	0
28	NORTH LEXINGTON	0	0	0	0	0	0
29	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	74	4	6	14	50	0
30	OAKHURST	0	0	0	0	0	0
31	PARK PLACE	56	10	21	18	0	7
32	REEDS	22	0	0	19	0	3
33	RICH FORK	105	0	30	60	0	15
34	SMITH GROVE	0	0	0	0	0	0
35	SOUTHGATE	92	8	17	12	52	3
36	SOUTHSIDE	0	0	0	0	0	0
37	STONERS GROVE	0	0	0	0	0	0
38	SUMMERVILLE	72	0	0	30	40	2
39	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	39	0	1	10	27	1
40	TRINITY	14	0	4	0	10	0
41	VICTORY	0	0	0	0	0	0
42	WALLBURG	0	0	0	0	0	0
43	WELCOME, FIRST	106	9	24	73	0	0
		1,048	75	203	383	328	59

		20	TOTAL SHORT-TERM DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING				
			a-Ages Birth-5				
			b-Ages 6-11				
			c-Ages 12-17				
			d-S-T Adults/Gen.Officers				
		19+20	Total DT Enrollment/Participation				
No.	**20**	**20a**	**20b**	**20c**	**20d**	**19+20**	
1	202	12	14	42	134	249	
2	0	0	0	0	0	0	
3	0	0	0	0	0	0	
4	40	4	12	11	13	99	
5	24	0	1	2	21	48	
6	0	0	0	0	0	17	
7	10	0	0	0	10	17	
8	0	0	0	0	0	17	
9	0	0	0	0	0	0	
10	12	0	0	8	4	92	
11	0	0	0	0	0	28	
12	3	0	0	0	3	3	
13	0	0	0	0	0	24	
14	0	0	0	0	0	0	
15	0	0	0	0	0	0	
16	0	0	0	0	0	0	
17	0	0	0	0	0	0	
18	0	0	0	0	0	0	
19	0	0	0	0	0	0	
20	43	0	7	33	3	124	
21	0	0	0	0	0	9	
22	0	0	0	0	0	0	
23	0	0	0	0	0	0	
24	0	0	0	0	0	0	
25	0	0	0	0	0	75	
26	0	0	0	0	0	0	
27	0	0	0	0	0	0	
28	13	1	2	3	7	13	
29	0	0	0	0	0	74	
30	0	0	0	0	0	0	
31	0	0	0	0	0	56	
32	0	0	0	0	0	22	
33	210	0	0	10	200	315	
34	16	0	0	0	16	16	
35	16	0	6	10	0	108	
36	0	0	0	0	0	0	
37	0	0	0	0	0	0	
38	13	0	9	1	3	85	
39	0	0	0	0	0	39	
40	0	0	0	0	0	14	
41	0	0	0	0	0	0	
42	31	0	0	0	31	31	
43	26	0	0	0	26	132	
	659	17	51	120	471	1,707	

FINANCIAL INFORMATION FOR 2002-2003 ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR

		26	Undesignated Girfts			
		27	Designated Gifts			
		28	Other Receipts			
		29	Cooperative Program			
		30	Associational Missions			
		31	State Missions			
No.	**Congregation**	**26**	**27**	**28**	**29**	**30**
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	416,641	256,741	1,700	9,450	7,375
2	AMITY	25,512	4,298	0	0	600
3	ANTIOCH	80,636	11,275	316	4,934	750
4	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	445,298	73,352	1,125	33,899	15,521
5	CEDAR LODGE	136,932	35,955	582	14,618	2,000
6	CENTER HILL	76,902	21,921	1,475	1,300	1,200
7	CENTRAL	80,042	32,527	0	754	852
8	CHURCHLAND	133,142	64,345	12,254	7,000	1,200
9	CLEARVIEW	24,800	9,000	0	0	200
10	COGGINS MEMORIAL	431,021	33,132	321,513	20,217	13,447
11	COLONIAL	214,926	48,025	0	16,921	4,232
12	DENTON, FIRST	151,764	93,728	0	8,739	4,371
13	FAITH	40,507	7,264	35	1,132	600
14	FLOYD	27,544	425	0	650	400
15	GREENWOOD	191,308	11,238	13,607	5,500	2,500
16	HASTY	60,227	2,157	6,209	3,890	435
17	HIGH ROCK	5,417	0	0	0	0
18	HILLSIDE PARK	257,772	285	0	0	1,200
19	HOLLOWAYS	80,734	9,171	35	9,688	2,422
20	JERSEY	245,121	56,051	17,034	20,000	3,750
21	LAKEVIEW	37,182	1,205	1,510	1,650	372
22	LEXINGTON FIRST	782,140	97,208	30,691	25,000	4,400
23	LIBERTY	149,358	13,593	4,169	6,860	1,929
24	LICK CREEK	34,444	14,048	156	420	275
25	MILLS HOME	5,135	400	0	100	50
26	MOUNTAIN VIEW	58,555	8,095	0	4,500	1,000
27	NEW FRIENDSHIP	309,644	38,460	4,768	17,506	6,681
28	NORTH LEXINGTON	214,459	52,319	0	20,179	1,100
29	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	158,211	193	144	2,160	2,800
30	OAKHURST	0	0	0	0	0
31	PARK PLACE	247,337	35,195	6,527	15,648	6,102
32	REEDS	234,246	103,324	0	25,701	10,362
33	RICH FORK	887,052	1,017,523	15,692	48,429	3,000
34	SMITH GROVE	106,657	19,927	3,794	9,104	2,250
35	SOUTHGATE	163,560	17,604	150	5,273	5,040
36	SOUTHSIDE	106,153	31,223	9,745	10,615	3,185
37	STONERS GROVE	87,209	9,673	412	6,600	1,200
38	SUMMERVILLE	135,486	36,759	0	13,287	4,065
39	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	227,959	12,037	344	7,232	3,546
40	TRINITY	91,096	13,814	0	4,810	3,188
41	VICTORY	61,174	4,525	1,835	640	440
42	WALLBURG	188,742	29,378	1,300	6,000	2,333
43	WELCOME, FIRST	374,622	71,873	147,560	49,363	12,469
	TOTALS	$7,786,667	$2,399,266	$604,682	$439,769	$138,842

	32	Annie Armstrong					
	33	Lottie Moon					
	34	Other SBC Mission Expenditures					
	35	Non-SBC Mission Expenditures					
	36	Congregational Debt					
	37	Church Literature					
No.	**31**	**32**	**33**	**34**	**35**	**36**	**37**
1	5,800	9,788	13,348	19,450	19,572	3,000,000	19,682
2	210	40	35	0	240	254,700	738
3	1,421	1,557	1,503	1,575	7,868	400,000	1,439
4	5,277	5,500	13,803	13,121	2,025	3,000,000	14,919
5	1,500	1,500	2,615	1,540	1,531	936,500	1,530
6	927	829	2,130	1,750	4,632	1,200,000	4,093
7	95	590	1,037	0	0	475,000	0
8	0	0	173	0	3,060	2,000,000	5,146
9	100	100	200	200	127	75,000	880
10	1,927	1,353	2,809	9,964	5,379	2,500,000	9,390
11	500	3,240	4,775	2,100	500	1,600,000	6,446
12	125	245	2,644	6,366	58,564	2,000,000	4,031
13	450	769	825	2,350	800	375,000	2,779
14	300	300	300	900	1,530	210,000	1,066
15	1,415	2,549	3,709	2,000	0	1,650,000	5,133
16	140	295	246	0	0	700,000	1,134
17	0	0	0	0	0	250,000	206
18	91	104	2,500	754	0	1,500,000	4,381
19	739	1,245	1,603	956	328	750,000	4,173
20	17,184	5,076	10,880	885	4,792	3,767,800	12,879
21	0	135	270	88	1,558	430,000	621
22	23,500	825	1,070	15,500	108,778	5,000,000	10,500
23	1,100	365	1,463	278	2,334	2,041,000	4,140
24	425	125	387	1,580	1,920	269,500	992
25	0	0	0	0	0	1,000,000	0
26	85	662	1,455	193	200	500,000	1,431
27	220	2,959	23,480	1,520	15,889	2,000,000	3,948
28	573	1,055	4,571	0	0	1,875,000	5,532
29	480	1,500	2,966	400	306	1,250,000	4,708
30	0	0	0	100	0	80,000	300
31	1,036	2,168	3,970	1,650	1,870	1,250,000	6,759
32	1,071	1,235	2,477	1,312	4,172	1,500,000	6,029
33	750	1,245	2,500	7,175	0	4,205,000	14,531
34	747	3,481	8,391	2,412	4,202	1,667,700	5,892
35	0	805	839	0	5,226	1,649,900	3,400
36	255	1,375	1,863	150	1,096	1,463,800	2,731
37	2,423	1,458	1,715	500	1,539	524,250	3,245
38	846	808	1,544	0	0	1,242,900	4,500
39	2,159	2,410	3,891	0	0	2,577,000	5,072
40	561	758	1,500	10,514	2,272	500,000	3,000
41	420	1,466	2,293	5,203	0	740,000	1,111
42	1,013	1,285	3,337	906	0	1,000,000	4,280
43	1,856	3,859	7,119	2,091	3,291	2,104,000	11,708
	$77,721	$65,059	$142,236	$115,483	$265,601	$61,514,050	$204,475

MISSIONS INVOLVEMENT/EDUCATION INFORMATION FOR 2002-2003

ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR

22 MISSION PROJECTS PARTICIPATION
a-Local Community
b-State
c-US/Canada
d-International

23 TOTAL WMU ENROLLMENT

24 TOTAL BROTHERHOOD ENROLLMENT

No.	Congregation	22	22a	22b	22c	22d	23	24
	ABBOTTS CREEK	97	35	40	10	12	109	65
	AMITY	0	0	0	0	0	22	0
	ANTIOCH	26	21	3	0	2	26	9
	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	38	16	3	17	2	116	105
	CEDAR LODGE	3	1	1	0	1	51	25
	CENTER HILL	65	60	0	5	0	44	0
	CENTRAL	12	5	0	6	1	25	10
	CHURCHLAND	16	10	4	0	2	41	15
	CLEARVIEW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	COGGINS MEMORIAL	6	6	0	0	0	55	41
	COLONIAL	0	0	0	0	0	38	33
	DENTON, FIRST	46	40	0	4	2	34	0
	FAITH	1	0	0	1	0	12	13
	FLOYD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	GREENWOOD	68	48	8	6	6	43	30
	HASTY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	HIGH ROCK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	HILLSIDE PARK	0	0	0	0	0	22	16
	HOLLOWAYS	23	21	0	2	0	32	12
	JERSEY	557	363	81	36	77	129	18
	LAKEVIEW	1	0	0	1	0	8	0
	LEXINGTON, FIRST	75	0	0	0	75	105	12
	LIBERTY	17	5	10	2	0	47	38
	LICK CREEK	0	0	0	0	0	13	0
	MILLS HOME	0	0	0	0	0	4	0
	MOUNTAIN VIEW	0	0	0	0	0	20	20
	NEW FRIENDSHIP	106	40	47	17	2	36	30
	NORTH LEXINGTON	21	12	0	8	1	69	12
	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	0	0	0	0	0	26	0
	OAKHURST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	PARK PLACE	0	0	0	0	0	36	38
	REEDS	38	25	0	11	2	66	29
	RICH FORK	215	50	60	90	15	168	0
	SMITH GROVE	405	405	0	0	0	44	26
	SOUTHGATE	19	19	0	0	0	26	25
	SOUTHSIDE	25	24	1	0	0	25	15
	STONERS GROVE	0	0	0	0	0	18	22
	SUMMERVILLE	188	130	58	0	0	52	69
	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	0	0	0	0	0	85	0
	TRINITY	6	0	6	0	0	44	5
	VICTORY	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
	WALLBURG	0	0	0	0	0	69	30
	WELCOME, FIRST	29	0	1	25	3	101	35
	TOTALS	2,105	1,338	323	241	203	1,861	798

	MUSIC MINISTRY INFORMATION FOR 2002-2003 ASSOCIATIONAL YEAR						
		21	TOTAL MUSIC MINISTRY ENROLLMENT				
			a-Ages 3-5				
			b-Ages 6-11				
			c-Ages12-17				
			d-Ages 18 & Up				
			e-Other Music Groups				
No.	**Congregation**	**21**	**21a**	**21b**	**21c**	**21d**	**21e**
1	ABBOTTS CREEK	119	15	38	15	30	21
2	AMITY	14	0	2	2	10	0
3	ANTIOCH	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	CAROLINA MEMORIAL	107	6	26	20	45	10
5	CEDAR LODGE	45	2	8	0	32	3
6	CENTER HILL	16	0	0	0	16	0
7	CENTRAL	36	6	3	0	25	0
8	CHURCHLAND	76	15	12	2	32	15
9	CLEARVIEW	21	0	0	2	19	0
10	COGGINS MEMORIAL	104	10	40	15	35	4
11	COLONIAL	65	3	15	4	43	0
12	DENTON, FIRST	17	0	0	1	16	0
13	FAITH	17	0	0	4	13	0
14	FLOYD	16	0	1	1	14	0
15	GREENWOOD	112	14	16	10	52	20
16	HASTY	15	0	0	0	15	0
17	HIGH ROCK	14	0	5	0	9	0
18	HILLSIDE PARK	91	7	22	2	50	10
19	HOLLOWAYS	20	0	0	0	20	0
20	JERSEY	121	8	18	6	37	52
21	LAKEVIEW	6	0	0	0	3	3
22	LEXINGTON FIRST	165	15	25	30	75	20
23	LIBERTY	32	5	10	0	17	0
24	LICK CREEK	21	0	0	2	19	0
25	MILLS HOME	142	120	5	15	0	2
26	MOUNTAIN VIEW	23	0	0	1	22	0
27	NEW FRIENDSHIP	43	12	0	3	25	3
28	NORTH LEXINGTON	72	10	25	0	37	0
29	OAK HILL MEMORIAL	37	0	0	0	37	0
30	OAKHURST	0	0	0	0	0	0
31	PARK PLACE	44	0	0	0	35	9
32	REEDS	103	25	18	19	38	3
33	RICH FORK	246	13	36	30	107	60
34	SMITH GROVE	16	0	0	0	16	0
35	SOUTHGATE	45	7	0	0	30	8
36	SOUTHSIDE	30	0	10	0	20	0
37	STONERS GROVE	27	0	0	2	25	0
38	SUMMERVILLE	50	0	3	2	25	20
39	THOMASVILLE, FIRST	58	1	11	14	20	12
40	TRINITY	16	0	0	3	13	0
41	VICTORY	10	0	0	0	10	2
42	WALLBURG	39	0	0	1	23	15
43	WELCOME, FIRST	121	13	24	0	37	47
	TOTALS	2,372	307	373	206	1,147	339

2004 Annual

2003-2004 Annual Theme

"Back to the Future: Rediscovering the Basics!"

Winter Quarterly Meeting - "Who We Are in Christ - Personal Spirituality"
Spring Quarterly Meeting - "Who We Are in Christ - Power of Prayer or Discovering our Gifts"
Summer Quarterly Meeting - "Who We Are in Christ - The Goal is Missions"
Annual Meeting -"Who We Are in Christ - Churches Capturing the Kingdom Vision Together"

"Being confident of this, that He who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Jesus Christ."
Philippians 1:6

One Hundred Seventy-Second Annual Session

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Annual Minutes of

LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

North Carolina

2004

January 12, 2004
Winter Quarterly Meeting
MILLS HOME BAPTIST CHURCH
701 Watson Circle
Thomasville, North Carolina

April 12, 2004
Spring Quarterly Meeting
COGGINS MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
1306 S. Main Street
Lexington, North Carolina

July 12, 2004
Summer Quarterly Meeting
TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH
4370 Welcome-Arcadia Road
Welcome, North Carolina

One Hundred Seventy-Second Annual Session
October 4, 2004
NORTH LEXINGTON BAPTIST CHURCH
201 Mize Road
Lexington, North Carolina

Mission Statement:

To be a Spirit-led family of churches who train, counsel, encourage and assist each other in fulfilling the Great Commandment and Great Commission"

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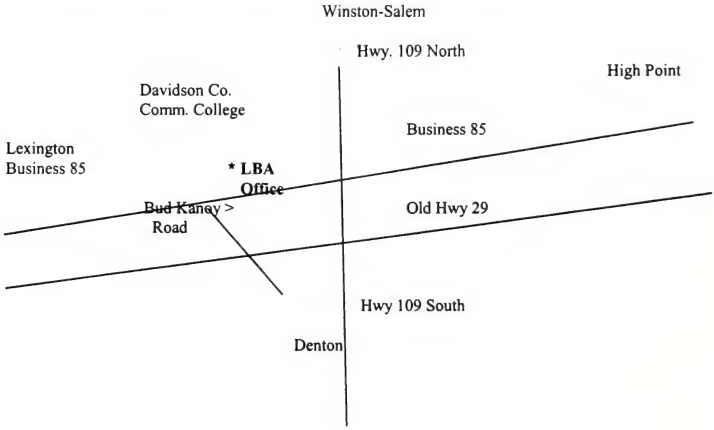

LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION OF NORTH CAROLINA
CALENDAR OF EVENTS - 2005
(This calendar is tentative and subject to change as the need arises.)

JANUARY 2005

1 **New Year's Holiday (Liberty Baptist Assoc. Office & BSCNC offices closed)**
3 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
6 7:00 pm-Missions Development Com., Assoc. Office
9 3:00 pm-WMU Leadership Team, Assoc. Office
10 **Winter Quarterly Meeting at Hasty Baptist Church/6:30 pm**
17 Martin Luther King Day (Assoc. Office closed for Holiday)
20 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Assoc. Office
25 **8:30 am-Minister's Breakfast**
30 Baptist Men's Day in the Churches

FEBRUARY 2005

14-20 Focus on WMU
20 NC Baptist College Day
21 President's Day
22 **8:30 am-Minister's Breakfast**

MARCH 2005

6-13 Week of Prayer for North American Missions & Annie Armstrong Easter Offering
8 10:00 am Program Committee Meeting
22 **8:30 am Minister's Breakfast**
25 **Good Friday (Assoc. Office closed for Holiday)**
31 7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Com., Assoc. Office
RA Congress at Mills Home in Thomasville

APRIL 2005

2 Senior Adult Spring Fling Festival
4 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
7 7:00 pm-Missions Development Committee, Associational Office
10 3:00 pm-WMU Leadership Committee meeting-Associational Office
11 **Spring Quarterly Meeting at Carolina Memorial Baptist Church/3:30 pm**
15-17 Mission Extravaganza at Ridgecrest
21 12:00 Noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
25 6:30-8:45 pm-WMU Annual Meeting & Salad Supper (Brotherhood invited), Abbott's Creek Baptist Church, High Point
26 **8:30 am-Minister's Breakfast**

MAY 2005

RA Track Meet
Baptist Men's Rally
8 Mother's Day
15-22 Associational Week of Prayer
24 8:30 am-Minister's Breakfast
31 Memorial Day Holiday (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)

JUNE 2005

Vacation Bible Schools (June - August)
7 7:00 pm-Program Committee
19 Father's Day
20-22 Southern Baptist Convention
23 7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office
24-25 WMU Associational Leadership Training-Caraway
27 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office

JULY 2005

4 July 4th Holiday (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)
7 7:00 pm-Missions Development Committee, Associational Office
11 Summer Quarterly Meeting at Thomasville First Baptist Church at 6:30 pm

AUGUST 2005

1 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
2 6:30 pm-Church Clerk's Conference, Associational Office
8 WMU/ Brotherhood Leadership Training

SEPTEMBER 2005

5 Labor Day Holiday (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)
6 Meeting Program Committee at Associational Office
11-18 Week of Prayer for North Carolina Missions Offering
15-17 Congregational Leadership Days
22 7:00 pm-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office
26 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
27 8:30 am-Minister's Breakfast
29 7:00 pm-Missions Development Committee, Associational Office

OCTOBER 2005

3 Annual Quarterly Meeting at Jersery Baptist Church at 3:30 p.m.
10 World Hunger Day
20 12:00 noon-Liberty Association Secretaries, Associational Office
25 8:30 am-Minister's Breakfast

NOVEMBER 2005

7 Baptist Women's Day of Prayer
7-9 North Carolina Baptist Secretaries Association Conference
11 Veterans Day (Assoc. Office will be closed)
14-16 Baptist State Convention Annual Session
24-25 Thanksgiving Holidays (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)
29 8:30 am-Minister's Breakfast

DECEMBER 2005

4-11 Week of Prayer for International Missions Emphasis/Lottie Moon Christmas Offering
6 10:00 am-Meeting Program Committee meeting at Associational Office
6 Minister's & Spouses Christmas Party
15 7:00 p.m.-Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee, Associational Office
22-26 Christmas Holidays (Liberty Baptist Association Office & BSCNC offices closed)
27 5:30 pm-Finance Committee, Associational Office
29 7:00 pm-Missions Development Committee, Associational Office

Note: All committee meeting dates are not included in the calendar. Please check the calendar listed in each of the newsletters for updates.

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161 Joe Moore Road
Thomasville, NC 27360

April 11, 2005 - Spring Meeting
Carolina Memorial Baptist Church
422 Liberty Dr.
Thomasville, NC 27360

July 11, 2005 - Summer Meeting
Thomasville First Baptist Church
8 Cramer St.
Thomasville, NC 27360

October 3, 2005 - Annual Meeting
Jersey Baptist Church
2920 Jersey Church Road
Linwood, NC 27299

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Churchland ..... Ray Howell, IV
Noel Schoonmaker
Coggins ..... Helio Munoz
Denton, First ..... Andy Tuttle
Stoner's Grove ..... Billy Pearson

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(September 1, 2003 through August 31, 2004)

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Lakeview ..... **Rev. David Wooten**, Pastor
Liberty ..... **Rev. Billy Foote**, Interim Pastor
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Oakhurst ..... **Rev. Robert Lee Wood, II**, Pastor
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Rich Fork ..... **Rev. Charles Jones**, Music Director
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Smith Grove ..... **Dr. Robert Odum**, Interim Pastor
Southside ..... **Joey & Dawn Bruff**, Youth Director
Summerville ..... **Rev. Tom McLean**, Pastor
Thomasville, First Baptist ..... **Rev. Byrum Orr**, Interim Pastor
Welcome First ..... **Josh Carden**, Minister of Students

HISTORICAL EVENTS

Abbotts Creek-Town Hall Meeting, 11/2/03 "Trinity Quartet" sang at our church, November-Operation Christmas Child, 11/23/03-Thanksgiving Meal at Shady Grove with Springhill & Abbott's Creek at Shady Grove, Christmas Tree saluting our solders with cards, notes, and packages, 12/4/03-Church wide Christmas Meal, December-Children's Musical "Jingle Bells", 12/21/03- Adult Christmas Cantata "Bethlehem Morning", 12/28/03-College Career Day, 1/3/04-Lester's Concert, January-Job Description Notebooks were given to all Committees, January-March - Began Creekside Café for Youth on Saturday nights, January-April-Bible Drill Teams and Bible Buddies, Winter Bible Study, 2/8/04-WMU Service with Windy Minton Edward's speaking, 2/29/04-Church wide Love Offering for the "Jesus" Video, General Scholarship Fund Committee gave out the first scholarship from the Edith Hood Fund. Zach Ritchie and Charles Myers received this award, Video Ministry started, 3/28/04-Baptist Men's Day with Rev. Mike Ester speaking, April Spring Revival with Rev. Gary Jennings "Finding My Purpose", 5/1/04-Operation In As Much Day, 5/16/04-Memorial Day/Meal with Rev. Ben Rowe, Pastor of Lakeview Baptist Church of Hickory speaking-This is our "3rd Sunday in May", 6/18/04-VBS "Son Games 2004", Home Improvements "Purpose Driven Life", Walter and Dot Dills spent June, July, and August as part-time missionaries in Alaska, June-Mission Trip to Spruce Pine NC-those going Mark and Anita Hollar, Tony Fowler, Darin Fowler, Ted Lyda, Kay Gibson, Andrea Valero, Evva Spurgeon, Hugh and Betty Jo Motsinger, Rob and Kathy Brasington, Wayne Bullard, Ricky, Jack and David Robertson, Gary and Brad Dobbins, Once a month-Grifton NC Hope Builders-Hugh and Betty Jo Motsinger, Wayne Bullard, Eddie Hilton, Lee Nooe and others, July-Mission Trip to West Virginia for VBS/visiting at Blackwolf Baptist Church-Jack and Patsy Rose, Carl and Leslie Simmons, Jack's grandson, Andrea Valero, Jessica Holt, and Christina McGuire, July 25th- Minister of Music, Aaron Moore was voted into our church, August Mission Trip to Palmer Alaska-Wayne Bullard, Hugh and Betty Jo Motsinger, Tony Fowler, Darin Fowler, Ted Lyda, Betsy Leach, J. C. Alcon, George, Lorie and Christy Blake; Sept 12-Minister of Students, David Mills resigned; September Mission Trip to Philippians-Wayne Bullard, Betsy Leach, Tony Fowler, Jack Rose, Matthew Dunn, and Danny Gann; September 12-Churchwide Love Offering taken for Kim Moss in appreciation for being Music Director for the last year and half.

Carolina Memorial- We hired our first full-time Minister of Music in August of 2004.

Cedar Lodge-Incorporation of Cedar Lodge Baptist Church-non profit organization on April 29, 2003; Ordination of new Deacon-Mr. Bob Hagins; Church Renovation Committee selected; Bible Study-"The Purpose Driven Life"; Note burning Ceremony (Church debt paid) on May 2, 2004-Homecoming.

Center Hill- Replaced tables and chairs in the Fellowship Hall; Upgraded heat and a/c controls in church.

Churchland- Ordained both our ministers Ray Howell IV and Noel Schoonmaker; Added an Associate Pastor (Ray Howell IV).

Coggins Memorial- Minister of Youth-Tina Whitman, resigned effective April 28, 2004; Rev. Helio Munoz ordained into the gospel ministry on January 11, 2004; Participated in the study book "40 Days of Purpose"; Participated in the Fall festival on October 31, 2003; Installed a video projection system August 2004.

Denton, First- Ordained Youth Minister Andy Tuttle.

Faith- Extra lights in main church building; New carpet in nursery; Replacement of the steeple; New carpet in church foyer; Church van head liner replaced; Emergency lights installed; Fire escape added to second floor and overhead eaves put at doors.

High Rock- New handicap ramp installed.

Holloways- Licensed a member for the ministry.

Lexington, First- 11/2/03-Dedicated Columbarium; 11/03-Davidson 2020 Community Outreach Group formed; 2/04-Dr. Denton Lotz (Baptist World Alliance) featured speaker for Parker Lecture Series.

New Friendship- Prayer Garden with a Gazebo established; Placed new windows in the educational building; children's playground; removed old fence and trees for enlarging playground; Megan Pinnix-mission trip to Thailand; Keith McVey-medical mission trip to Iraq.

Park Place- Launched church web-site.

Smith Grove- Sent Josh Peterson to New York City on a mission trip; Baptist Men built storage building for the picnic shelter. Rosa Lanning Circle-WMU expanded our pantry; RA's participated in State Track Meet; GA/Acteens prepared 57 shoeboxes for Samaritan's Purse.

Southgate- Using the Faith Promise Fund that was started last year, we had several trees removed to make more parking spaces; We also repaved the entire parking lot. We updated our baptistry by painting the back

wall and adding molding around the sides. Also a cross was added to the back wall. Siding was added to all wood areas of the building and new guttering was installed. Several new doors have replaced old worn ones. The railing in the vestibule has been remodeled and new pickets added.

Stoner's Grove- Created 20 additional parking spaces; Purchased new computer and copier; Purchased new baptismal robes; Ordained one into the ministry.

Summerville- Started construction on fellowship hall expansion. Called Rev. Tom McLean as pastor.

Welcome, First- Church gave $10,715 to Lottie Moon Christmas Offering-largest amount ever given. Josh Carden called as Minister of Youth February, 2004. A Feasibility Committee was formed to guide church into determining future goals. David Goodman traveled to Kenya, East Africa, on mission trip. In July church approved a plan to refurbish fellowship hall and purchase equipment in order to begin a contemporary worship service. In August celebrated note-burning ceremony to retire church debt.

Program

NORTH LEXINGTON BAPTIST CHURCH

Lexington, North Carolina

Monday, Afternoon, October 4, 2004

3:00	Musical Prelude	
3:15	Call to Order	Michael Collier
	Constitution of the Body	Michael Collier
	Welcome and Invocation	Bob Floyd
	Adoption of Program	Michael Collier
	Election of Clerk	Michael Collier
3:20	Recognition of new Pastors and Staff during 2003-2004	Michael Collier
3:25	Hymns	John Gwaltney
3:30	Reports in Printed Form:	
	Brotherhood/Baptist Men Report	William Hanes/John Gore
	Prison Ministry Report	Michael Lee
	Ethnic Committee Report	Maurine Perryman
	Treasurer's Report	David Shaffer
	Vacation Bible School Report	Tim Landreth
	WMU Report	Linda Skeen
3:45	Nominating Committee Report and Motion	Michael Pinnix
3:55	Miscellaneous Business	
	(Chaplain Mark Gaskins of Wingate College)	
	(Lamar Moore speaking for Campbell University)	
	Committee on Nominations	Michael Collier
	Lamar Moore, Dewey Snyder, Brenda Ferguson	
4:10	Place and Preacher Committee	Ray Howell, III
4:15	Memorial Service	Charles Dickens
4:25	Special Music	
4:30	Message	Michael Collier
5:00	Instructions, Blessing-Adjourn for Evening Meal	

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6:30	Opening Prayer - Singing of Hymns	
6:35	Growing Churches- "Dawn of a New Day"	Tim Fowler
6:55	Missions and Vision Realities	

The following have displays and we hope you take the time to look at them and ask questions.

Abbott's Creek
Carolina Memorial
Friendship-Ledford Community Church
Greenwood
North Lexington
Reeds
Smith Grove

7:00	Miscellaneous Business	
7:10	Music by the Choir of North Lexington Baptist Church	
7:20	Introduction of Speaker	John Gore
7:25	Message	Bob Foy
7:55	Installation of 2004-2005 Officers/Special Recognitions	Mike Ester
8:10	Prayer and Adjourn	Gary Myers

Proceedings

One Hundred Seventieth Second Annual Session

Liberty Baptist Association

NORTH LEXINGTON BAPTIST CHURCH

Lexington, North Carolina

Monday Afternoon, October 4, 2004

The meeting was opened by Rev. Michael Collier. Rev. John Gwaltney, Associational Music Director, led the congregation in singing hymns.

Rev. Michael Collier, Moderator, called the 172nd Annual Meeting to order. Rev. Bob Floyd, pastor of North Lexington Baptist Church, welcomed those present and had the invocation. A motion was made by Rev. Michael Collier, chairman of the Meeting Program Committee to adopt the program as printed in the Book of Reports. Mrs. Gail S. Beck, Associational Clerk, made the following changes in the Book of Reports: on page 31, at the top of the page, 2nd paragraph, second line should read November 14, rather that November 21. In the list of Memorials on page 41, the names of Mr. David Lambeth and Mr. Beauford Trotter should be added under Oak Hill. Also on page 41, the name of Mrs. Neece Segraves should be changed to Mr. Neece Segraves. Page 7, take Orilee Evington's (Park Place) name off as messenger. Oak Hill has some changes in their mesengers Kelly Hunt (Previously shown as Alternate), Brian Ingram, Alternate, Bonise Ingram, Alternate, Dawn Ingram, Alternate, Larry Ingram, Alternate. After these corrections to the Book of Reports, Lamar Moore made the motion to accept the motion of the Meeting Program Committee and it was approved.

Michael Collier, made a motion to elect Gail Beck as Associational Clerk for 2004-2005, and the motion passed.

The following new staff members were specifically recognized: Page 41 of the book of reports Aaron Moore, Music Director, Abbotts Creek Baptist Church; Craig T. McKinney, Minister of Music, Carolina Memorial Baptist Church; Rev. Byrum Orr, Interim Pastor, Thomasville First Baptist Church; Rev. Billy Foote, Interim Pastor, Liberty Baptist Church; Josh Asbill, Youth Minister, Oak Hill Memorial Baptist Church; Rev. Max Evington, Interim Pastor, Park Place Baptist Church; Rev. Steven Jones, Pastor, Sanctuary Dr. Robert Odom, Interim Pastor, Smith Grove Baptist Church; Rev. Tom McLean, Pastor, Summerville Baptist Church; Rev. Benn Fleming, Pastor, Liberty Baptist Church; Rev. John Gwaltney, Minister of Music, Reeds Baptist Church; Robert Lovett, Youth Minister, Smith Grove Baptist Church; Dr. Jay Lambeth, Supply Pastor, Victory Baptist Church; and Rev. Leslie Puryear, Pastor, Wallburg Baptist Church. The following Mission Pastors were recognized: Rev. Leon Trotter, Friendship-Ledford Community Church; Rev. Helio Munoz, Mision Bautista Hispana, Lexington; Rev. Hector Olguin, Mision Bautista Hispana, Thomasville, and Dr. Robert Floyd, North Davidson Community Church.

The **Brotherhood** report was given by William Hanes in printed form. Changes all laundry units have been moved to Melborne, Fla. Chain saw units will need to comply with safety regulations. Hugh Motsinger seconded and it was approved that we accept as printed in the Book of Reports.

The **WMU** report was given by Linda Skeen in printed form. Lamar Moore seconded and it was approved that we accept as printed in the Book of Reports.

The **Vacation Bible School** report was presented by Rev. Tim Landreth, Associational VBS Director. A total of 28 churches attended the VBS Early Planning Clinic. The total enrollment was 4,153. There were probably more professions of faith, because the associational office did not receive a written report from all churches. Appreciation was expressed to all those who served on the Associational VBS Team. A motion was made, seconded and approved to accept the VBS report.

Michael Lee presented the **Davidson Prison Ministry** report. Talked about 3 convicts. Con man was Jacob, Supervisor was Moses, Gang leader was Paul. These did make a difference. We are there for men like these. There has been 4,675 inmates in the local prison unit since October 2003.

Maurine Perryman presented the **Ethnic Committee** report. ESL classes for Hispanics now have 10 students attending regularly.

The Associational Treasurer, Rev. David Shaffer, presented the **Treasurer's Report**. Rev. Shaffer stated that Liberty Baptist Association is very sound financially and churches continue to give generously, not only to the budgeted items, but also to special funds such as disaster relief, toy store, prison ministry, etc. We spent more than we took in. Motion was made and seconded to accept the Treasurer's report as printed

and the motion passed.

Lamar Moore moved that the **Nominating Committee** report be approved as printed and the motion passed.

Miscellaneous Business: (1) Chaplain Mark Gaskins of Wingate College. Wingate was established in 1896. Thank you for your support and prayers. We want to invite you to come and visit our campus at any time. (2)Lamar Moore gave a report on Campbell University. The university is grateful for the support and prayers of each individual. (3) Charlotte Beck and Gaylin Huff did a skit on giving to the Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina for the Thanksgiving Offering "Shine Your Light". (4) Gary Myers, chairman of the **Missions Development Committee** recommended that our association give $250.00 a month to North Davidson Community Church for 12 months. Recommended/Motion that we accept new work of North Davidson Community Church into full fellowship and Friendship-Ledford Community Church into full fellowship. Both were accepted. A motion was made to accept a church that is meeting in the Archdale area with Steve Jones as pastor- receive the Sanctuary Church under Watchcare. Mission Development report was accepted as printed: (5) We now have 49 churches in our association.

Lamar Moore, Dewey Snyder, Brenda Ferguson served as our **Committee on Nominations** and Lamar presented the following names to serve as our Nominating Committee for 2004-2005: Rev, Mark Blair, chairman, Mrs. Brenda Ferguson, Betty Sue Honbaier, Goldia Spivey, C. J. Everhart, and William Hanes

The **Place and Preacher Committee Report** was presented by Dr. Ray Howell, III: The Winter Quarterly Meeting will be held on January 10, 2005, at Hasty Baptist Church with speaker Billy Tarton. The Spring Quarterly Meeting will be held on April 11, 2005, at Carolina Memorial Baptist Church. Carolina will celebrate their 75th anniversary. The afternoon sermon will be brought by Rev. Jack Rose, with Rev. Stephen Livengood as alternate. The evening speaker will be Jerry Wallace from Campbell University The Summer Quarterly Meeting will be held on July 11, 2005, at Thomasville First Baptist Church, and the speaker will be Rev. Luther Osment, Baptist Retirement Homes. The Annual Meeting will be held on October 3, 2004, at Jersey Baptist Church. They will celebrate their 250th anniversary. The annual sermon will be brought by Rev. Lamar Moore, Rev. Stephen Livengood as alternate, and the evening speaker will be Phyllis Elliott Elvington from South Carolina. The motion brought from the committee was approved.

The **Memorials Service** was conducted by Dot Nester, representing chairman Charles Dickens of the Memorials Committee. Psalms 116:15 "Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints" Names of deceased members for the associational year, September 1, 2003 through August 31, 2004, were read. Dot closed with a prayer of remembrance and thankfulness for those who have gone to be with the Lord.

Gail Beck gave a report that 176 were registered for the meeting. Gail gave a plea to the Clerks that they need to get their reports in on time.

Special music was presented by Rev. John Gwaltney with the singing of "My Tribute".

The Annual Sermon was preached by Rev. Michael Collier, pastor of Jersey Baptist Church. Text was taken from Matthew 22:1-14. Theme has been "Churches Capturing the Vision Together" A church can be so busy in its ministry that it forgets its first love. We are saved by grace, not of works lest we bost, but we do need to make preparations. A person cannot enter the wedding feast with the same life that they had when they met Jesus Christ. The doors are open but not for the sinner to remain sinners. We should be striving to be saints. No church is healthy without a define kingdom dream. Is your church still living your parents and grandparents dreams? (Every church in Liberty Baptist Association is important, but when an individual or church ceases to dream the dream that Jesus dreams of the kingdom of God ceases to send out invitations to everybody then the kingdom is hindered. Everyone that accepts the invitation to the wedding feast, we have to do our part.) The only way for churches and the association is to keep that dream alive.

Blessing and prayer for the evening meal was offered by Rev. Bob Floyd.

During the break everyone should go to the other building to see the mission displays. Abbott's Creek, Carolina Memorial, Greenwood, North Lexington, Reeds, North Davidson Community Church, and Smith Grove have displays.

Monday Evening, October 4, 2004

Rev. John Gwaltney led the congregation in singing of the Hymns "I Will Give Thanks To Thee" and "How Great Thou Art".

Rev. Tim Fowler, shared with us about growing churches under the topic, "Dawn of a New Day". His scripture reading was from I Corinthians 13:16. Tim is from Emmanual Church in Rock Hill, South Carolina

and it was a dying church that had only 30 people attending his first Sunday. Be specific in your prayers for the church you want and the location. We now have about 100 on Sunday's now. (Hebrews 11:1 says the faith of things unseen, that means budget reports are not faith.) Psalms says the Lord is my strength, not deacons, committees, or treasurers report. God said come just as you are. Everything we do should be done in love.

Miscellaneous Business: (1) Mike Ester introduced Bud McCants of North Davidson Community Church, and Leon Trotter of Friendship-Ledford Community Church, who was unable to attend. These two came into full time with our association, giving us 49 churches. The Sanctuary Church with Steven Jones came under Watchcare. (2) Two new churches came into our association. Associational Clerk, Gail S. Beck, reported that the registration was 250 following the dinner hour. At the Church Clerk's conference in August, an announcement was made that the church clerk presenting the perfect Congregational Profile would be recognized at the Annual Meeting. There were two perfect reports: Glenda Bray, Clerk of Southgate Baptist Church and Hilda Byerly, Clerk of Carolina Memorial Baptist Church were recognized. (3) David Mills, Carolina Memorial received the certificate for being the top giving church in our association and for top giving to Lottie Moon in our association. (4) Mark Blair said $177,000.00 is still needed for Jesus Video. You can mail your money for this video to Jesus Video Project, P O Box 544, Thomasville, NC 27360. Only 30 churches have given to this project.

Special music was presented by Dale Parsley and the North Lexington Baptist Church, "What A Wonderful Child" from the Christmas Cantata Tree of Life and "The Sweetest Song I Know".

John Gore introduced the evening speaker, Mr. Bob Foy, National Renewal Coordinator for the NAMB.

Mr. Foy began by saying he had never preached a sermon, but he knew his preacher always had a sermon with 3 points. He thought he could do that, so he used the letter E and as they called on him his wife looked over to see what he was using and he had encouraged, excited and envolved (involved) and she said that last word does not start with E. At that time I remembered those verses where God says "I will give you the things to say." I said God you better help me out now. Let's turn to I Peter 4:10 and lets make ourselves available to God and his work. Theme this year is "Who we are in Christ-Churches Capturing the Kingdom Vision Together" "Going back to the basics". Our convention has said that 80% of our churches are plateaued. Lest than 3% of born again Christians know what their gift is. He works through those that are called and gifted. We are held accountable for the gifts God has called us to use. When you get your life tuned to what God has equipped you, that is the most exciting thing. That is the way he works through us in spiritual gifts. We are not disciplineing our lay people. When God's people start acting like God's people then we are going to see other people want to be a part of that. What would happen if we had all churches with lay people praying and working on the same weekend? God is wanting to use His people. God bring us together that our own thoughts are about you, about what you want and not what we want.

Mike Ester presented a plaque to Michael Collier for serving as Moderator from 2002-2004.

The 2004-2005 Officers were installed by Rev. Mike Ester: Rev. Gary Myers (Oak Hill Memorial), Moderator; Rev. Craig Barnhill (Holloways),Vice Moderator; Gail S. Beck (Oak Hill Memorial), Clerk; and Rev. David Shaffer (Coggins Memorial), Treasurer. Those serving as chairpersons of committees were also recognized. A prayer of dedication was offered by Rev. Ester.

Gary Myers, Moderator for 2004-2006 closed with prayer.

There being no further business, the moderator declared the 172nd annual meeting adjourned.

SUMMER QUARTERLY MEETING

Monday Evening - July 12, 2004

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH, Welcome/Arcadia

Vice-Moderator Gary Myers called the summer quarterly meeting of Liberty Baptist Association to order, and introduced Rev. Charles Tanner, Pastor of Trinity Baptist Church. Rev. Tanner welcomed those present and led in prayer.

During the time of worship through music, Charles Tanner led in the absence of John Gwaltney, Associational Music Director.

The moderator recognized the following new Pastors and Staff Members in the association: Amity Baptist Church- Rev. Edd Smith, Pastor; Churchland Baptist Church-Rev. Noel Schoonmaker, Pastor; First

Baptist Thomasville-Rev. Bynum Orr, Interim Pastor.

Jimmy Lawson, Assistant Associational Treasurer, presented the **Treasurer's Report**, which was approved as printed in the Book of Report.

The **Finance Committee Report and Recommendation of 2004-2005 Mission Ministry Budget** was presented by Chairman, Jim Lawson. An explanation of each line item of the budget has been included for clarification of expenditures. There were no further questions, and the 2004-2005 Mission Ministry Budget was adopted as proposed.

Miscellaneous Business: (1) The **Committee on Nominations**, chosen by the officers of the association, was announced by the vice-moderator. Chairman, Rev. Lamar Moore (Center Hill); Rev. Dewey Snider (Denton, First); and Brenda Ferguson (Greenwood). This committee will select the 2004-2005 Nominating Committee which will be announced at the Annual Meeting on October 4, 2004. **(2)** David Wooten, a representative of the **International Campus Ministries of the Triad, Inc.** presented Scott Freese who shared with the messengers . "We believe that everyone needs to know the Gospel, and with International students that begins with making friendships." The Mission and Purpose of this ministry is to "intentionally reach out (through friendship, hospitality and missions) to the International students, faculty, administrators and employees that study, teach, and serve on our local university and college campuses and institutions." He introduced two young men from foreign countries. **(3)** Mike Rinehardt, Chairman of **Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee,** made a motion that $300.00 be given to a group of WMU from our association who will be making a trip to East St. Louis the end of July. This will be taken from line item 5610. This was a joint recommendation and passed by saying "I."

WMU Report, by Linda Skeen, presented as printed in book. Passed by saying "I."

Brotherhood/Baptist Men's Report, as printed in book. Passed by saying "I."

Missions Development Report, as printed in book. Passed by saying "I."

The **Nominating Committee report** was presented by Freddie Moretz, in the absence of Chairman, Michael Pinnix. This report is a matter of information only, and the vote will be taken at the Annual Meeting in October. Anyone who would like to volunteer for a position which is vacant should contact the associational office. The committees will begin work at the close of the annual meeting and will serve through August 31, 2005.

Associational Missionary report: Mike Ester spoke about a great summer and how well the churches have worked together in our association, about VBS, summer missions, and staff changes. We take out of date material, we don't get rid of anything. Appreciate the churches letting me come in when a staff member has left. I get to know the people that way.

The motion was seconded and passed by saying "I."

Associational Clerk, Gail S. Beck, announced that 126 individuals with 103 messengers and 23 visitors were registered for the meeting,.

Special Music was presented by the choir of Trinity Baptist Church.

Our special Speaker, **Mrs. Ruby Fulbright**, was introduced by Janet Sharpe. Ruby is the Executive Director/Treasurer of Women's Missionary Union of NC. She read Joshua 1:1-9 - concerning Joshua and Moses and their courage. What makes a king out of slave-courage. In the Wizard of Oz it was courage. Courage is not the absence of fear, courage is the overcoming of fear, the willingness to do the right thing. What an encourager of missions was the wonderful speaker. Ruby gave us all a challenge of reaching further for missions. She reported that only 55% of North Carolina Baptist Churches give to the NC State missions offering that is taken in September. She reported what all this offering helps in our state. Is your church giving to the state offering? Missions Education is so important. Everyone from birth through Adult can hear about God's love. If we don't educate, missions will die. We have a glorious future as long as we stay true to our purpose-missions, that is the one thing that Baptist could agree on from the beginning, and that is missions is the main thing.

There being no further business, the Summer meeting of Liberty Baptist Association was adjourned with benediction by Rev. Gary Myers.

SPRING QUARTERLY MEETING
Monday Afternoon, April 5, 2004

COGGINS MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH, Lexington

Moderator Michael Collier called the spring quarterly meeting of Liberty Baptist Association to order, and introduced Rev. Lowell Askins, Pastor of Coggins Memorial Baptist Church. Rev. Askins welcomed those present and led in prayer. Mike Ester, Associational Missionary, made a motion that the printed program be adopted. The motion passed.

During a time of Worship through Music, Rev. John Gwaltney led in singing "God our Father" and "Glorify Thy Name."

The moderator recognized the following new Pastors and Staff Members in the association: Welcome First Baptist Church-Josh Carden, Minister of Students; Southside Baptist Church-John Bruff, Youth Director; Rich Fork Baptist Church-Charlie Jones, Music Director; North Davidson Community Church, -Bud McCants, Pastor. In addition to the new pastors and staff, all church pastors and staff members present were recognized.

In keeping with the annual theme of *"Back to the Future: Rediscovering the Basics!,"* the Spring quarterly emphasis is *"Who We Are in Christ - Power of Prayer or Discovering our Gifts."* Leon Trotter, Pastor of Ledford-Friendship Community Church, provided the Theme Interpretation. Mr. Trotter said we need to discover our gifts to live in the center of God's will. You were saved by God to serve others. Every believer is a minister if you are a follower of Jesus Christ. A minister is one using the gifts, talents, everything God has given us to help someone else. Matthew 20:28 God told us to serve others and in I Peter 4:10 each has received a special gift and we are to serve others. Ephesians 2:10 God prepared an assignment for us and that is where the gifts come in. Rick Warren shares an acrostics: SHAPE - S-spiritual gifts, Scripture to find your gifts (Romans 12:3-8, I Corinthians 12:1-11, I Corinthians 1: 27-31, Ephesians 4:11& 12, and I Peter 4:9-11). See if any of these show where your gifts are. H-heart, A-abilities, P-personality, E-experiences. Do you know what your gifts are? Are you using your gifts to serve in the churches?
John Gwaltney led in singing "Wonderful Words of Life" and "How I Love you."

David Shaffer, Associational Treasurer, gave the **Treasurer's Report**. The report was adopted as printed in the Book of Reports.

Miscellaneous Business: Rev. Les Puryear reported that the money for the Jesus Video mail out was coming in very slowly. Our goal is $210,000.00. 15 churches have given money already. 13 of our association, 1 Baptist church from another county and 1 Wesleyan Church. We have collected a little over $15,000.00. Mail your money to Jesus Video-PO Box 544-Thomasville, NC 27361.

Our special music was presented by **Susan Wynn** singing "I Can Only Imagine" and **Susan Wynn and John Gwaltney** sang "Amazing Grace,"and "We need to get back to the Basics."

The afternoon message was delivered by **Dr. Robert (Bob) Floyd**, Pastor of North Lexington Baptist Church. Scripture was taken from Romans 12:3-8, "As God's messenger I give each of you God's warning; Be honest in your estimate of yourselves, measuring your value by how much faith God has given you. Just as there are many parts to our bodies, so it is with Christ's body. We are all parts of it, and it takes every one of us to make it complete, for we each have different work to do. So we belong to each other, and each needs all the others. God has given each of us the ability to do certain things well. So if God has given you the ability to prophesy, then prophesy whenever you can-as often as your faith is strong enough to receive a message from God. If your gift is that of serving others, serve them well. If you are a teacher, do a good job of teaching. If you are a preacher, see to it that your sermons are strong and helpful. If God has given you money, be generous in helping others with it. If God has given you administrative ability and put you in charge of the work of others, take the responsibility seriously. Those who offer comfort to the sorrowing should do so with Christian cheer." Let the Spirit of Jesus say in your heart that you have one gift and you probably have more than that. After reading this, Bob had Mike Ester to pray that the Lord would lead all this afternoon. A Spiritual gift is a gift that God gives to you on the day of salvation. How many exercise the seven gifts from God. Gifts come from the Holy Spirit. Bob used the story of a golf ball that he wanted back that went into a hole on the course with how bad do we get on our knees because there is something that means something to us and we want it. How many in Liberty Baptist Association need an encourager? We must realize that we operate in the power of a Holy God. God does the moving and God makes it happen . If you are living under

the power of Jesus, it is impossible to experience burn out. If we try to live on our own power we will burn out. Satan will be on you if you open yourself up to be used by God. Are you experiencing the power of God daily? We have to be right with God and right with man. The cross goes two ways. For everyone that exercises your gift, God has a blessing for you. Take your Bible and get on your knees before God and he will tell you what your gift is and then exercise it. Liberty Association, lets just do it.

The afternoon session was adjourned. The blessing and prayer for the evening meal was given by David Shaffer, Associate Pastor of Coggins Memorial Baptist Church.

Monday Evening - April 5, 2004

The Moderator recognized **David Wooten,** Pastor of Lakeview Baptist Church to lead in the opening prayer. **John Gwaltney** led us in singing "This is the Day" and "Worship Christ the Lord".

Miscellaneous Business: Rev. Gary Myers, Chairman of the **Missions Development Committee,** made a motion that the association pay $1,000.00 from the Miscellaneous General Fund and give to the IN GOD WE TRUST, US Motto Action Committee in Lexington to help with legal expenses to keep these words on the building in Lexington. Approved by raised hands.

Gary Myers also made the motion that we give $500 per month from the new work budget line for the remainder of the year to the North Davidson Community Church. The state is already giving $1,000.00. In August we will re-evaluate this mission church again and see if the funds are still needed to continue. We are excited that Bud McCants is with them and continue to pray for this opportunity and their growth. Approved by saying "I."

Rev. Chris Byrne, New Friendship Baptist Church, made a statement that page 116 of the Annual has an error with church debit.

Gail Beck, Associational Clerk, responded; thank you Chris, we knew about the mistake-a mailing needs to go out and also you need to go back to your church and let them know about this, we will try to correct this. Annuals need to be picked up. After dinner tonight our count for the meeting is 164 messengers and 25 visitors, making this a total of 189.

Mission Ministry Reports: William Hanes, Co-Chairman of the **Baptist Men's/Brotherhood Leadership Team** reported that Hugh and Betty Jo Motsinger will be leading the Hope Builders project, replacing Roy Queen. The group will be going to Grifton next week, April 12-17. Jim Meachum's trip to NY will be April 17-23. Baptist Men's Rally is May 4th at 6:30 with a Dinner and good mission reports. John Gore is director of region 5 with 7 associations. This will be at Mineral Springs Baptist Church in Winston Salem. If any of your churches are going anywhere or doing any missions, John and myself would like to know. Trip to Honduras is full, but if you are still interested, contact H. L. Russell. Doing great things. We are still doing handicap ramps and door locks with the handyman group. Still a lot of work to be done in the Atlantic area.

Janet Sharpe, Associational Director, **Woman's Missionary Union,** presented the report as printed. She reported that this is the 90th year of GA's and had all GA's to stand. Maurine Perryman was the oldest GA in our Association and she is present tonight. Maurine was a missionary in Jordan. She emphasized the Salad Supper at Oak Hill in Thomasville on April 26th three weeks from tonight. Brotherhood is encouraged to be a part of this Annual Salad supper. Bob and Phyllis Foy will be our guest speakers and Margaret Harding will be there to install our new officers.

The two previous reports, Brotherhood/Baptist Men, and Woman's Missionary Union, were approved as presented with some corrections.

John Gwaltney led the congregation in singing "The Solid Rock" and "The Family of God."

Rev. Mark Blair, Discipleship Supporter, had all in congregation that could get a pew Bible and a sample Bible Drill was presented asking them to find Ezekiel, the book before and the book after. He wanted all to see that Bible Drills are not easy. He reported that Five churches participated in Bible Drills this year, with 41 individuals involved from our association. Churches can choose either the KJV or NIV to use for their drills. 25 of the 43 churches in the our association reported having some form of **Discipleship Training** during the past year. It is good to get them started early in life. Please contact me at 731-8434 if you need more information on training.

Vacation Bible School, Tim Landreth, Associational VBS Director, introduced the theme, "Far-out Far East Rickshaw Rally Racing to the Son" I Corinthians 9:24. Bible school is not just for children, but for

adults also, perhaps some parents of visiting children. No matter what kind of material you use, I encourage you to have a Vacation Bible School. Not everyone knows Jesus Christ. VBS is the easiest way of teaching others about Him. If you can not be involved, pray; pray for leaders and workers, pray for the children and adults that will be coming, and go on a prayer walk around your neighborhood or church and pray, or volunteer yourself to work in VBS, invite someone to go to VBS, and get excited. Telling about Christ is fun. The VBS Clinic will be held April 19, 7:00 to 8:30 pm at Carolina Memorial Baptist Church. The report was approved.

The Moderator, Michael Collier, encouraged any who are members in smaller churches to participate with larger sister churches in Vacation Bible Schools.

Evva Spurgeon, associational secretary, introduced Phil Stone. Phil's present position consists of Congregational Service Group Consultant and Bible Study/Church Administration Team Leader with the Baptist State Convention. Phil's wife Sherry and he have two children and they are both married. Phil's education consists of a Bachelor of Arts in Music, from Augusta State University, Master of Theology-Honor Program, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, and Master of Religious-Education, Southern Baptist Theological Seminary.

Special Music was provided by the Byrd's singing a Medley of several songs. The Byrd's are Jack and Margaret and Jerry Byrd and Doug Powers. " Shouting Time in Heaven", "Use Us Jesus", "It is Done", "ALPHA and OMEGA".

Phil shared the Spiritual Gifts-Learning Guide with us from Romans 12:5-13. I am a teacher not a preacher. I can always spot an Antique shop, I am good at it and I am good at gardening and singing. Spiritual gifts can be defined as a unique ability, talent, or interest (things we like to do) ~~given by~~ God for the purpose of carrying out God's plan of ministry through his life. God has blessed us with so many things we are good at. "Being confident of this, that He who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Jesus Christ." Philippians 1:6 It is no accident that you are good at what you are good at. Before you were born God placed in you the genes and abilities to find joys and pleasures in life and expects us to use them. What is your gift? God has given us four affirmations to find our gifts.

1. God intends for you to discover your gifts.
2. God will show you your gifts.
3. God will provide the way for you to develop your gifts.
4. God will provide the way for you to use your gifts.

The gift we are looking for is within us, not outside.
God has a plan for each one of us.
God had fun in creating the world. God created each one unique.
Gifts are things we were born with, things we enjoy doing, the love of our lives, most passionate about those talents and gifts that can become spiritual gifts when we give them to God for the purpose of carrying out God's plan of ministry through his life.
Twelve Spiritual gifts from Romans 12:5-13

1.	Prophecy	7.	Mercy
2.	Service	8.	Love
3.	Teaching	9.	Enthusiasm
4.	Exhorting	10.	Hope
5.	Sharing	11.	Prayer
6.	Leading	12.	Hospitality

After a church has learned what the gifts of the people in the church are, the Nominating Committee is ready to work and go to those people and ask for them to do jobs with the special gift. This is a special way of connecting the people with work they can do.

Use me Lord Jesus, here we are, do something special with me.

There being no further business, the Spring quarterly meeting of Liberty Baptist Association was adjourned with a benediction by Moderator, Michael Collier.

WINTER QUARTERLY MEETING
Monday Evening - January 12, 2004

MILLS HOME BAPTIST CHURCH, THOMASVILLE

Moderator Michael Collier called the Winter quarterly meeting of Liberty Baptist Association to order and introduced Dr. Randy Stewart, Pastor of Mills Home Baptist Church Dr. Stewart welcomed those present and led in prayer. Markus Sink, Chairman of the Meeting Program Committee, made a motion that the printed program be adopted. The motion passed.

In the absence of Rev. John Gwaltney, Associational Music Director, Randy Stewart played the piano and David Stewart led in a time of worship through music. David led in singing the Hymns "Tis So Sweet To Trust In Jesus" and "I Stand Amazed".

The moderator recognized the following new Pastors and Staff Members in the association: Hillside Park-Rev. Terry Boles and Rev Steve Stroud, Interim Pastors; Park Place Baptist Church-, Rev. Bob Burns, Interim Pastor; Lakeview Baptist Church-Rev. David Wooten, Pastor; Oakhurst Baptist Church-Rev. Robert Lee Wood II, Pastor.

Michael Collier gave the Theme Interpretation, "Back to the Future: Rediscovering the Basics!" *"Being confident of this, that He who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Jesus Christ."* Philippians 1:6.

The **Treasurer's Report** was presented by David Shaffer, Associational Treasurer, and was approved as printed.

Miscellaneous Business: Rev. Leslie Puryear, chairman of the Regional Committee, shared about the Jesus Video/DVD and how we are trying to get this video into every home in our County. Les asked every Christian and every church to be a part of this. Will you join God where he is going? DVD can be played in several different languages.

Gail Beck introduced the new Office Manager for Liberty Baptist Association, Evva Spurgeon.

Brotherhood/Baptist Men and Woman's Missionary Union Reports were accepted as printed in the book

Michael Rinehardt, Chairman of the **Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee** indicated that 2003 was a busy year for mission teams, we had them in Honduras, East St. Louis, New York, Grifton, North Carolina Hope Builder. We hope this year will be the same. We already have two trips planned: Honduras June 21-29, 2004, and Hope Builders, January 19-23, 2004, where we are working on homes that were damaged by Hurricane Floyd. We have a 2004 Planning Guide for every church, a lot of work has gone in to preparing this guide.
Beth Moore is coming to Greensboro July 23-24, 2004, a lot is mentioned in the guide.

Mike Ester, Director of Missions, thanked the program committee for the changes made in our programs that had made them inspirational and well attended. He introduced speaker, **Becky Brumitt**, Director of Hale Community Center of Elizabethton, Tennessee.

Becky spoke about the mission opportunities with the Hale Community Ministry and the mission possibilities in the Elizabethton, Tennessee area. She gave a challenge to all to find a mission project and do it. God is working with you and will see you through if you commit to work.

Special Music, Praise and Worship was presented by Four of the children in care at Mills Home, who did

a Mime interpretation and signed the words to "You are Holy".

Associational Missionary, Mike Ester, introduced our speaker, **Wendy Minton Edwards** of the Baptist State Convention of NC. Wendy has been with the Baptist State Convention for 16 years. Wendy talked with us about change. Who changed everything when I wasn't looking? Life is about change. Are we willing to change. Scripture used for tonight was Romans 12:1-2, a letter written by Paul to the church in Rome. God does want our bodies as a living sacrifice. God never changes. Are we allowing for the spirit of God to change us?

Recognition of Gail Beck, upon her retirement as Office Manger of Liberty Baptist Association. A plaque was presented to honor her for her dedication and faithful service to the Association.

169 people registered for the meeting.

There being no further business, the Winter quarterly meeting was adjourned with prayer by Mike Collier.

There was a reception for Gail following the meeting.

HISTORY OF HOST CHURCHES

NORTH LEXINGTON BAPTIST CHURCH HISTORY
From 1990 until 2004

North Lexington began using their multi-purpose Sanctuary of 1990. A Steinway Piano was given to the church for use in their Sanctuary. Beautification of the foyer was completed and a new organ was purchased for use in the Sanctuary, along with purchasing a Video Projector. North Lexington began giving away USDA Food to those less fortunate. A new Van and a new copy machine was purchased for use at the church. North Lexington established a mission about two years ago, called North Davidson Community Church. North Lexington now has a cemetery.

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH HISTORY

Twenty-three years ago on April 5, 1981, Trinity Baptist Church began with thirty adults and seven children. The original church began in the Arcadia community building. Trinity petitioned the Liberty Baptist Association to become a constituted church and at the Annual Meeting on September 20, 1981, Trinity Baptist Church became official.

Trinity began to grow with members and dreams and the membership felt that a new home was needed. At that time in July 1982, the Dr. Joe Hill homeplace was purchased and Trinity began meeting in the house on the property. In April 1984, the debt was paid and plans for a church building took place. On April 28, 1985, our church had dedication ceremonies for the new house of worship. Over the past years many additions and improvements have taken place to our church home as well as our lives. Trinity hopes to continue to grow and improve in God's loving care.

Over the years many men have been called to serve our Lord at Trinity. Rev. R.O. Bennett, Rev. Earl Jones, Rev. Cecil Staton, Jr., Dr. Carlton Mitchell, Rev. Ronald Jackson, Rev. R.N. Hardin, Rev. Jeffrey Vogler, Rev. Claxton Hall, Rev. Gerald Hewitt, Rev. Edward Stines, Rev. Charles Tanner and many lay people. The church family has grown over the years and God has inspired two of our members to become full time ministers.

Trinity Baptist Church continues to have a large focus on the mission work God called all Christians to do. We serve him through many missions. Some of our missions include trips to Grifton, Hope Helpline Ministry, Mr. Brother's Keeper, food pantry, soup and sugar for homeless shelter, Operation Christmas Child, Lottie Moon, Annie Armstrong, Lexington Prison Ministry Christmas party, WMU Toys for Christmas, school supplies for Children's Home and WMU feeding Homeless shelter the first Saturday of every month.

This past year was an exciting year at Trinity. Under the direction of a great committee of people,

our church experienced The Forty Days of Purpose Driven Life. This was a wonderful and enriching experience for all of Trinity. This program helped to bring Trinity's members in a new direction for God. Also, this past year our youth worker, Trent Sessoms, worked with our youth.

Not everything this year was happy. One of our charter members, Marvin Lyons, went home to be with Jesus in December 2003. He had served as deacon, church historian, Sunday School teacher and mentor to our church family. He will be dearly missed.

As we look to the future in our service to God, we thank Him for all the blessings He gives us. We look to Him to meet all our needs and rely on our Lord to lead us through all our trials. Trinity Baptist Church will remain faithful in service to Him and continue in the service He called us for.

Trinity's Mission Statement : "Joined together to glorify God by reaching out, teaching and serving our Lord Jesus."

Historian: Beth Knight

HISTORY OF COGGINS MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH, LEXINGTON

This is an update of church events since January 15, 2001 when the Liberty Baptist Association last met at Coggins Memorial Baptist Church.

In April, 2001 Coggins approved the installation of a heat pump and air conditioner for the basement of the old sanctuary, now kitchen and fellowship hall, at a cost of $6,080. The work was completed in April, 2002.

In June, 2001, the church approved a recommendation from the Missions Committee to begin a Hispanic mission and to ask First Baptist Church to be a partner in this effort. Coggins committed to provide space, administrative guidance, financial assistance and prayer support. The pastor was Jose Juan Rodriguez. The budget for the Hispanic Mission was approved in February, 2002.

Everett Hathaway resigned as Youth Director in September, 2001. In October, 2002, Mrs. Tina Whitman was employed as Youth Director.

In September, 2001, Coggins approved the purchase of the home and property of Mrs. Virginia Katen at the corner of South Main St. and Harrington Ave., which joins the church property, at a cost of $78,500.

Barry Parker, a student at Southern Seminary, Louisville, KY, was ordained into the ministry on January 5, 2003.

Rev. J. J. Rodriguez resigned as pastor of the Hispanic Mission effective June 26, 2003. Mr. Helio Munoz became their interim supply/leader until a pastor could be found. On January 11, 2004 Helio Munoz was ordained into the gospel ministry and continues to lead the Hispanic Mission until a pastor can be found.

Effective August 29, 2003, Mrs. Linda Russo, Child Development Director, resigned. In November, 2003, Mrs. Kimberly Jones, was promoted to Child Development Director.

In June, 2003, Coggins voted to participate in "40 Days of Purpose" campaign introduced by Rick Warren, Saddleback Church, CA. The study began in January, 2004, with the book, Purpose Driven Life", written by Rick Warren, being studied over a 40-day period in small group sessions. There were 220 participants.

The heating and air unit was replaced in the sanctuary in February, 2004, at a cost of $25,000.

In March, 2004, a video projection screen was installed in the sanctuary for visual praise and worship.

Coggins continues to receive funds from Agro-Care activity and pass them on to world hunger. During the past three years $21,400 has been given to four different world hunger organizations.

Prepared by Lional Wall
Clerk of Coggins Memorial Baptist Church

MILLS HOME BAPTIST CHURCH HISTORY
(Updated from 1991)

In 1992, Mills Homes revised and expanded the role of the pastor with a new title, Pastor/Chaplain. Randy Stewart was called to fill this new role in August of 1992.

Mills Home has been pleased to be host of the annual area RA Congress for several years now. This continues to be a blessing for our campus which has always been focused on ministry to young people.

It was a distinct honor for Mills Home Baptist Church to hold the installation service for Dr. Jim Royston in October 1998. It was a worshipful event shared by Christian brothers and sisters from across the state.

Mills Home Church installed and dedicated a new organ in 2002. The Johannus digital organ has been a wonderful addition to our sanctuary and greatly enhances worship services.

Mills Home continues to fulfill the vision of John Mills as a place of ministry for children and their families.

Prepared by Dr. Randy Stewart, Pastor and Chaplain

ELECTED MESSENGERS - OCTOBER 6, 2003 - AUGUST 31, 2004

(The names of Messengers who attended the Annual Meeting on October 6, 2003, or any Quarterly Meeting in 2004, are in bold, italic text).

Abbotts Creek

Carl Alcon
Diane Bridger
Glinna Bryant
Ralph Bryant
Bobby Canada
Dot Canada
Matthew Dunn
Scott Ford
Mary Gann
Michael Gann
John Hedgecock
Mark Hollar
Betsy Leach
David Mills
Patrick Moss
Betty Jo Motsinger
Hugh Motsinger
Jack Rose
Evva Spurgeon
John Sulger

Alternates

Betty Sulgar

Amity

Peggy Fulton
Wayne Fulton
Cindi Lawson
Jimmy Lawson
Betty Proctor
Raymond Proctor

Alternates

Angela Rohrer

Antioch

Irene Mimlitsch
Roy Queen

Carolina Memorial

Ella Batten
Betty Bradshaw
Hilda K. Byerly
Peggy Guffey
Louanne Hedrick
Tim Landreth
Jackie Lewis
David Mills
Wanda Mills

Carolina Memorial - continued

Judy Morrison
Brad Myers
Linda Myers
Duane Ogden
Loretta Ogden
Faye Powell
Bill York
Raleigh York, Jr.
Richard York

Cedar Lodge

Joe Alexander
Karen Alexander
Elizabeth Brownworth
Russell Brownworth
Brenda Emmons
Eddie Hinkle
Patsy Hinkle
Eddie Wray

Center Hill

Roy Cantrell
Frank Carter
Brenda Forrest
Randy Forrest
Betty Honbaier
Glenda Mabry
Harold Mabry
Lamar Moore, Jr.
Mary Ruth Sheets

Central

Billy Sloop
Dora Sloop

Churchland

C. J. Everhart
Muriel Everhart
Eleanor Fair
Ron Fair
Vernelle Greene
Leona Hartley
Tom Hartley
Sue Hilliard
Calvin Mullineaux
Janice Mullineaux
Idalia Snider

Clearview

Bill Freeman
Nell Freeman
Nancy Hall

Coggins Memorial

Claudia Askins
Lowell Askins
Michael Ester
Rita Hobbs
Lillian Hyatt

Doris Munoz
Helio Munoz
David Shaffer
Karen Shaffer
Lionel Wall

Colonial

Connie Burgess
Mickey Childers
Patsy Childers
Carolyn Embler
Rick Embler
Steve Jarvis
Tim Johnson
Billy King

Denton, First

Betty Lomax
Margaret Morris
Vern Peterson
David Pierce
Linda Skeen
Teresa Smith
Dewey Snider
Goldia Spivey
Angela Talley
Johnny Talley
Tyler Varner

Faith

Janeth Bean
Charles Dickens
Judy Dickens
Dawn English
Sam Grimes
Freddie Moretz
Tammy Moretz
Essie Mae Tysinger
Wayne Tysinger

Floyd

Fred Miller

Greenwood

Elsie Bowers
Gurley Bowers
Brenda Ferguson
Roger Ferguson

Greenwood- continued

Ruby Glenn
John Gore
Judi Grubb
Linda Haynes
Robert Haynes
Maxine Hudson
Carolyn Livengood
Stephen Livengood

Hasty

Brown Baity
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John D. Cecil, Jr.
Claude Eddinger
Doris Eddinger
Emily Hushour
Chris Lingerfelt
Dwight Rickard

High Rock

Russ Bailey
Russell Cooper
Doris Crenshaw
Dustin Graham
Ava Shaw
Danny Shaw

Hillside Park

None Reported

Holloways

Craig Barnhill
Jim Beanblossom
Jane Carrick
Ronald Carrick
Nancy Darr
Carol Sams
James Sams, Jr.

Jersey

George Beeker
Margaret Beeker
Michael Collier
Charlotte Cook
Hannah Hollifield
Morris Hollifield
Sara Knapp
Barbara Mason
Malcolm Myers
Pam Shoaf
Sammy Shoaf
Lloyd Shuman
Carolyn Smith

Lakeview

Johnny English
Joy English
Jimmy Hinson

Lakeview - continued

Dot Nester
Hugh Nester
Henry Wood

Lexington, First

Linda Engstrom
Bruce Hill
Ray Howell, III
Opal Johnson
Wade Johnson

Phil Rector
Polly Rollins
Alan Sherouse
Sandra Wilson
Tommy Wilson

Liberty
Carl Collins
Benn Fleming
Harvey Grubb

Lick Creek
Doris Beckom
Florence Dennis
Frances Pait
Hulon Pait
Clara Pate
Steve Pate

Mills Homes
Brenda Gray
Randy Stewart

Mountain View
John Kroh
Catherine Parker
Clay Parker
Brenda Parks
Darrell Parks
Holly Whitten

New Friendship
Jane Brown
Chris Byrne
Shirley Higgs
Tom Higgs
Gloria South
Roy South
Jeanette Teague

North Lexington
Robert J. Floyd
Shirley Floyd
Thurman Fritts
Mabel Harmon
Lorene Kennel
Janet Sharpe

North Lexington - continued
Chuck Williams

Oak Hill Memorial
Charles Barker
Sara Barker
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Betty Beck
Billy J. Beck
Billy R. Beck
Donald Bumgardner
Vicki Bumgardner
Sharon Burcham
Gary Myers
Joyce Myers

Alternate
Bettie Stone

Oakhurst
David L. Edwards
Jennifer L. Koontz
Joyce Michael

Park Place
Bertie Benfield
Rodney Douglas
Sandy Douglas
Christine Everhart
Tim Green
Sully Johnson
Henry Lethco
Doris Meredith
Doug Reid
Barbara Robbins
Markus Sink
Kent Thompson

Reeds
Alex Beck
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Connie Forrest
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Sylvia Hanes
William Hanes
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Glenn S. Nance
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Victor Owen
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Jeanne Hanes
Kenny Lanning
Sandra Lanning
Chris Noland
Marsha Noland
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Shelby Orrell

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Glenda Bray
John Bray
Brian Butler
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Marilyn Garner
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Isaac Stowe, Jr.
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Taysha McGee
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Larry Michael
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Eva Younts
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None Reported

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ALPHA PREGNANCY SUPPORT, INC.
2004 ANNUAL REPORT

	7 Year total 1991 - 1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	1998 - 2004	Total 13 years
Average Counselors	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7		
Total Calls	1993	410	675	710	772	648	690	409	4314	6307
Walk - Ins	403	65	87	87	117	86	116	72	630	1033
Clients Booked	576	449	606	547	642	555	574	372	3745	3745
Office Counseling Sessions	1661	334	453	444	511	420	466	305	2933	4594
New Clients	641	94	89	93	122	107	112	75	692	1333
Abortion Minded Clients	Statistics N/A			4	8	10	22	11	55	55
Decided Against Abortion	Statistics N/A			4	7	8	21	11	51	51
Witness Oppts.	1150	165	181	117	120	69	80	51	783	1933
Bibles Given	170	27	71	66	74	53	50	37	378	548
Decisions for Christ	25	33	56	52	60	49	53	33	336	361
Pregnancy Tests	296	39	26	29	42	43	44	25	248	544
Support Services Clothing/Diapers/Furnishing	1376	296	916	646	1433	1671	1187	1104	7253	8629
Transportation Asst.	597	78	77	79	115	95	75	37	556	1153
Referrals to Agencies	656	60	70	61	116	127	149	100	683	1339
Adopting Counseling	Statistics N/A	23	18	63	29	98	48	22	301	301
Babies Born	200	60	70	72	88	72	76	66	504	704

Submitted by Rev. Bonnie R. Laney, Exec. Director 11/30/04

New Director, Hired 4/16/98 Programs Initiated 1998	1991 - 1997	1998 Since 4/16/98	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	Cum 1998 - 2004
Educational GED/Job Opport.	None	18	16	53	17	15	9	12	140
Abstinence Counseling	N/A	76	93	134	72	142	493	406	1416
Pledges to abstain (from sex)	N/A	57	81	52	25	34	88	94	431
M.O.M.S Support Classes	None	30	66	62	83	56	64	42	403
Teen M.O.M.S.	None	22	86	53	57	36	28	21	303
Bible Study Sessions	None	26	77	117	175	145	200	123	863
Recommitment to Christ	N/A	32	30	33	19	12	8	4	138
P.A.C.E. Client - Sessions	None	0	45	26	4	3	2	0	80
New Supporting Churches	N/A	2	5	4	5	4	5	4	29
Public Rels/Presentations Speaking Engagements	N/A N/A	23	19	25	33	13	34	26	173
Newspaper Ads/Fund - raisers	N/A	3	12	15	7	9	7	10	63
Volunteers Recruited	N/A	4	10	9	8	7	7	6	51
Board Members Recruited	N/A	4	4	4	3	3	4	4	26

Center Needs Brochures Stationery Utilities & Rent Funds
Additional Needs Bibles Printing
Volunteers & Board Members

Submitted by Rev. Bonnie R. Laney, Exec. Dir. 11/30/04

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY REPORT

Let me begin by saying, **"Thank you!"** for allowing me the honor of working with the churches of the Liberty Baptist Association. God has truly blessed me with a wonderful privilege. Visiting different churches nearly every week I am struck by how different and unique each church is in God's Kingdom. We have churches that are "lively," others are "reserved," some do "praise singing," others very "traditional," and not to mention, "everything in between." I love them all because I see God at work doing great things. I have learned to appreciate each, "unique" congregation. God is at work in our churches!

I also would like to thank you for the wonderful spirit of love and cooperation that prevails in our association. Our churches are concerned about missions and the lost people of the world, not bogged down in politics or controversies. God's work always suffers when churches get sidetracked in controversies.

This year we will vote on two new churches coming into the association, "Friendship - Ledford," and "North Davidson." We will also vote on, "Sanctuary," coming in under watch care. God is surely blessing. This puts our total number of congregations at 49. Praise God!

Here are some of the things your association is involved in:

World literature distribution
Hope Builders
Prison Ministry
Toy Store
Disaster relief and recovery
VBS training
Ordination/Installations/Dedications
Pulpit Committee training
New Church Work
Scholarships
Discipleship
LBA Secretary's Meetings
Mission studies
Seminary Extension
Evangelism
Ethnic Work
Counseling
Career Assessment
Conflict Management

Goals for 2005

Having every church involved in some type of mission project.
Having every church re-think their mission and focus on evangelism and outreach.
Every church to consider a program, "Making Good Churches Better." It will be designed to fit your church to help in re-focus, conflict management, and helping to reach those on the outside.
Starting a new church.
Developing a camp ground ministry at High Rock Lake, and possibly other sites.
100% participation of our churches in VBS.
Having an open heart that we may go where God leads us.

What is our future?

Our future as the Liberty Baptist Association looks **GREAT!** Yet, there will be many changes in the future. Our association will become more church centered and service oriented. No longer will we push denominational programs, but act more like a partner, working along side with pastors and church leaders. We are here to serve the churches, not the other way around.

The association is in a unique position in all of Baptist life. The association is in the best position to build relationships, give support, reconciliation, unity, and a common vision.

What do we do well:

We give churches an opportunity to join hands in local short-term mission projects too large for any one church.

Providing training opportunities for church leaders.

Maintaining long-term ministries which are difficult for local churches to sponsor.

Providing resources to begin new missions and ministries.

Providing resources to small churches.

Our vision statement says, "To be a Spirit-led family of churches who train, counsel, encourage and assist each other in fulfilling the Great Commandment and Great Commission" This statement gives us a guide as we move ahead in the new millennium.

Our Mission for the Future

Preach the precious, redeeming Gospel of Jesus Christ, resulting in disciples.
Minister to all people, not just those who are in the church.
And fellowship with people at the point of their need.

Thank you for every dime you and your church send to missions, not only to your Association, but gifts to the Cooperative Program, and through special offerings. Your mission dollars make it possible for millions to hear the wonderful news of Jesus Christ. I know your gifts of time and money will be blessed by God and multiplied to reach His world.

Respectfully,

Michael R. Ester

AUDITING COMMITTEE REPORT

The financial records and books of Liberty Baptist Association have been reviewed and examined by the Auditing Committee for fiscal year 2003-2004 and found to be accurate and in good order, in keeping with normally accepted accounting practices. We wish to commend our treasurer, David Shaffer, for a job well done.

Raleigh York, Jr., Chairman
Mildred Love
Paul Tucker

BROTHERHOOD/BAPTIST MEN ANNUAL REPORT

Updates:

1. Here in the Liberty Baptist Association area, Friendship-Ledford Church, along with aid of the associational Baptist Men, has replaced a mobile home in the community. This ministry has shown God's love by eliminating a desperate situation and has provided a family with an upgraded home.
2. John Gore has been assessing hurricane damage in South Florida and coordinating disaster relief work in Jackson, Alabama.

Praise:

1. The Hope Builders project in the Grifton, NC, area is currently in full progress. According to coordinators, Hugh and Betty Jo Motsinger, two new homes have been completed and/are being lived in; two other homes are in progress. There is always room for more volunteer work for clean-up and new home building. A trip is planned for October 25-30. Just contact the associational office (336-475-0432) or the Motsinger's (336-769-2971) if you can join in this Hope Builders opportunity.
2. The Parkslope Ministry Center project in Brooklyn, NY, is nearing the completion of the construction/ministry phase. A dedication service and block party was held on September 12 with approximately 200 in attendance. The new on-site coordinators have arrived and are already beginning the evangelistic phase.

Urgent Needs:

1. Western North Carolina: Volunteers to assist in Canton, Clyde, Franklin and Mitchell/Avery Counties in clean-up resulting from recent hurricanes. Coordination of teams is being done by the NCBM.. Please contact the association office, William Hanes, or John Gore.
2. Greenville, Alabama: Baptist Men's Disaster Relief Unit 1, a large shower unit, laundry unit, (moved to Melborne, Fla.), generator unit, and two recovery units are set up and meals are being served. Chain saw and mud-out volunteers are needed. Please contact NCBM in Cary (1-800-395-5102, Ext. 333).
3. Pensacola, Florida: Baptist Men's shower units now/soon to be in place.

Continuing Needs:

Eastern North Carolina: Volunteers to assist in rebuilding of homes damaged during Hurricane Isabel.

If you are interested in participating in any of the Brotherhood/Baptist Men projects, please contact John Gore (336-475-1245) or William Hanes (336-787-5426).

NOTE: Chain saw units working with the NCBM will need to comply with safety regulations–hard hats, chaps, safety glasses, and proper shoes/gloves.

Respectfully submitted,
John Gore, Co-Chairman
William Hanes, Co-Chairman

Christian Activity Center

Rev. Chet Cantrell — *540 North Sixth St.* — *Center: (618) 875-5615*
Director — *East St. Louis, IL 62201* — *Web Site: www.cacesl.org*

First of all, thank you for your help and support this summer. Every year, it seems that the experiences here get richer and more in-depth as children and youth respond to the various ministries and heed the call of God. There are many highlights of the summer. On the top of my list is the Youth Mission Trip. Drew Phillips, Melissa Berry, and summer missionary Shannon McDougal lead this trip to Greer, South Carolina, as part of Missions Connect. There, they participated with several hundred other youth in housing renovation and community improvement, and benefited from the tremendous leadership of this fine organization. We are grateful to Knighdale Church who helped us orchestrate this event, and included our teens in the fellowship created there. Ten of our older elementary children later went to Knightdale for a week of Vacation Bible School, and were enriched by staying at church members homes, doing special things (one of which was going to the beach for the first time!), and learning from the experiences along the way.

Our groups this summer were outstanding, each doing wonderful ministry and building relationships with our children and staff. We are grateful to Lynwood Baptist Church for the building renovation projects, to the State WMU Missions Spectacular for the painting crew and the zoo field trip, and to Cornerstone Church of Lee's Summit for the work done as well. The Missouri Sports Crusaders did their usual fantastic job leading our sports camps. Acteen Activators from Alabama contributed greatly to our summer slate of programs, and we enjoyed the Bakari Institure who lead our cultural morning programs. Our summer missionaries really did a fine job as well. I mentioned Shannon McDougal, and also need to recognize Megan DeLuca, Haley Holt, and Lisa Homm. Jonathan Krager also served, completing his internship requirements for University of Missouri in recreation.

One hundred children attended Camp Penuel, and 85 teenagers attended Kids Across America. Mike Wiedman Continued his good work in our educational programs. Capping off the summer was our annual "Back-to-School" event lead by our state WMU Mission Marketplace team. Around 45 women attended our "ladies night out" event, over 600 school supply kits were distributed, and over two hundred families were served during our Saturday "yard sale".

Keep us in your prayers! Our Fall schedule begins the first week of September, and I can't wait to see what God is going to do. Thank you all for being such a vital part of this ministry.

Thank you for the $350.00 we received in July. It was used for a mission trip.

Know that we are Gratefully Yours
D. Chet Cantrell, Director
"Weekday Ministries to All Age Groups"

COOPERATIVE COMMUNITY MINISTRY

"Caring in Crisis"

"The vision of the Cooperative Community Ministry is to provide for legitimate, immediate, emergency needs of Thomasville area citizens relating to health, food, housing, transportation, and clothing, with the goal of moving them toward self-sufficiency."

The following reflect how much our services and your generosity mean to our community from January through September:

	2003	2004	Increase
Clients seeking assistance	1,809	2,638	829
Clients - food assistance	2,863	4,868	2,005
Food assist. Value	$38,881	$64,629	$25,748
Clients - non-food (clothes, etc.)	277	1,646	1,369
Clothes, etc. value	$ 3,602	$10,010	$6,408
Clients - Financial assistance (power, rent, utilities)	1,338	1,474	136
Financial assistance amount	$29,381	$33,628	$4,247
Total clients receiving assistance	4,350	7,680	3,330
Total Amount Assistance	$73,778	$105,444	$31,666

(These totals reflect other miscellaneous assistance rendered)

May God bless our endeavors and your involvement with this ministry.

Aurelia Sink
Executive Director

CRISIS MINISTRY OF DAVIDSON COUNTY

Mission Statement

"In keeping with the teachings of Jesus Christ, to minister to people in His name, and through our Christian perspective, we, the members of Crisis Ministry of Davidson County, have united to extend our love, care, and concern to people in great need of basic resources. Specifically, the purpose of this organization will be to serve as a source of temporary financial help for individuals or families in crisis, or who need emergency aid, and to provide a shelter for the homeless and food for the hungry. We intend to work with other agencies in a cooperative effort to help people obtain basis needs. We will provide referral services for those whose need is beyond the scope of this agency.

This nondenominational organization will serve as an extension of participating churches through direct assistance, counseling, and referral services, and if possible, to enable those who are in need to move toward relative independence, reducing the recurrence of crisis. This organization shall assist people on the basis of need according to eligibility criteria, irrespective of race, ethnic background, age, sex, or religious convictions."

We appreciate the generosity and thoughtfulness to our ministry. In 2003, we were able to assist 5,671 people with food, rent, utilities, medicine, clothing, burial, gas, bus tickets and fuel oil.

Our shelter provided 17,104 nights of shelter and meals for homeless men, women and families. This is a wonderful service to people who have no place to call home. Just imagine being burned out and knowing you have a place to live, or being in the cold all day, and knowing that you can go inside a building that is warm - have a hot meal - take a hot shower - sleep in a nice bed.

On behalf of those your donation has helped, Thank You!

Gayle Whitehead
Executive Director

DAVIDSON MEDICAL MINISTRIES CLINIC REPORT

"Back to the Future: Rediscovering the Basics"
Liberty Baptist Association Annual Meeting
Tuesday, October 4, 2004

Davidson Medical Ministries Clinic, Inc. Report

The future is often a scary thought. The unknown, fear of what's ahead, unsure of what will happen and how you will need to handle things are among the top future fears. Imagine, if you will, that you are married with 2 children one middle school and one high school. Your wife works for a small business that does not provide insurance. You work for a corporation that has provided your insurance and made it possible for you to provide insurance for your family from your salary. Suddenly, you are told the company is downsizing and your job will be gone at the end of the month. You are devastated, how can you provide for your family, you can't afford cobra insurance, what about your son's asthma medications and your daughter's dermatology referral. Your wife has just been diagnosed with diabetes and you're quite sure your blood pressure is out the top. Your unemployment lets you make the house payment, things are drastically tight, but you are surviving. You've applied for Health Choice insurance for your kids and qualified. But your wife needs lab work done and you both need refills on your medications. Someone at church told you to call Davidson Medical Ministries to see if they could help.

Because Liberty Baptist Association along with numerous other Baptist churches in the association combined with other churches, individuals, business and private foundation grants have given to Davidson Medical Ministries Clinic; hopefully, this man and wife will get the help they need.
Why hopefully, because for every person we say yes to, there is someone else that we must say no to as well. DMMC takes 8 new patients each Monday and Thursday 16 new patients a week, 64 a month and 750 a year minimum and it's not enough. People still have to try and try again to get an appointment or be told there is no room at present. But we keep going. We keep taking new people, we keep adding to the number of those we serve. Every day we seek to do the most we can with what we have.

This year so far:
We have seen over 6,000 patient visits. We have filled 29,032 prescriptions (approximately 20% more than 2003) at a customer value of $2.68million.
We have added a counseling component to help our clients better understand their medicines and hopefully take them more effectively. We have increased our ability to apply for Medication Assistance programs (MAP) for our clients bring in over $1million in MAP meds year to date. We have made our clinic times more flexible to attract professional volunteers who would be willing to volunteer at alternative times. We have added more spaces for volunteers to do eligibility screening in the daytime and help keep the reason for not being able to receive services not because we couldn't get them re-qualified. We have added a social worker to screen clients who might be eligible for Medicaid or Disability to make spaces available for those who do not meet those guidelines.

- We continue with our chronic disease clinic 2 x per week with a Physician's Assistant.

- We provide ongoing education for CDC patients.
- We have a daytime volunteer based follow-up clinic 2 mornings per month with retired volunteer physicians.
- We have general clinics 2 x week in the evenings (physician volunteer permitting)
- We have specialty clinics for gynecology, cardiology, podiatry, and ophthalmology.
- We refer to local physicians willing to provide services to our clients.
- We partner with the Health Department to provide dental care to children on Medicaid.
- We provide training to students at DCCC in the medical field
- We have 6 pharmacy pick up clinics per week.
- We have 5 eligibility screening clinics per week.
- We partner with Novant Health to do diabetic education monthly
- We have 2 dental clinics per week (dentist volunteers permitting)
- We offer alternative times and dates for dental clinic (Fri. mornings)
- We have a part-time Hispanic Services Coordinator to work with the growing Hispanic populations.
- We have 2 Hispanic Clinics per month.
- We provide case management for follow-up care and referrals for all medical and dental services.
- We provide "brown bag" counseling for pharmacy clients 3 x week.

All total DMMC provides client services of approximately 45 hours per week in a variety of form. Reality is, it would not be possible without your investment in the future health of your friends, neighbors and family members who are asking for help.

Help us help others:

- Pray for us
- Encourage your church to partner with us in care to those in need
- Continue your churches support or add us to your budget
- Recruit needed volunteers for our training
- Conduct a project as a fundraiser or raise supplies for our clinic

Thanks so much for all you do.
Philippians 1:8

Respectfully,

Sandy Motley, RN
Executive Director

DAVIDSON PRISON MINISTRY

Davidson Prison Ministry wants to express it's deepest gratitude to the Liberty Baptist Association for its participation in our ministry during the past year. The contributions of this association and her member churches has allowed us to continue our ministry to those "behind the fences" at Davidson Correctional Center. The scope of this ministry has expanded over the past two years as we have been able to move our chaplain to a full-time status. This has increased the opportunities for service as well as open doors to new areas of sharing Christ's love with others. The participation of the Liberty Baptist Association in preparing the Christmas packages for our inmates is a wonderful gift of compassion and caring. Two hundred and fifty-eight packages were shared with the inmates as expressions of God's love while also sharing a personal greeting and a good wish for the Christmas holidays. Many inmates were touched through that one simple act of Christian love and charity. Churches and volunteers from Davidson County also helped conduct 425 worship services with 4,675 inmates attending since October 2003. Over 1,100 volunteers came into the prison, representing over 2,230 hours of time given to this facility. Each of these numbers represent multiple contacts with inmate sharing the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Each contact represents an opportunity to change a person's life. Each life is a gift from God and has an intrinsic value that is priceless. What Davidson Prison Ministry is accomplishing, with the help of the Liberty Baptist Association, is invaluable and has eternal significance. To simply say "Thank You" is not enough; but, no words are capable of expressing our feelings and gratitude. The best we can do is to say "God Bless You" and may He continue to work in and through this association and its member churches.

Chaplain Michael S. Lee

DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING REPORT FOR 2003-2004

It was a privilege serving as Discipleship Training representative for the Liberty Baptist Association during the 2003-2004 year. I believe that discipleship is a major part of the Christian life and that every church has the God-given assignment to equip believers for the work of ministry.

Lifeway continues to publish an impressive variety of discipleship materials for the local church, from small-group Bible studies to health programs, from Beth Moore studies for the ladies to Team Kids for the children, and FAITH evangelism training for both adults and youth. Approximately half of the churches in our association reported some type of discipleship training that took place during this past year. It would be great to see all of our churches involved in some form of discipleship **training for the year ahead.**

Bible Drills remains the strongest element in my duties as your Discipleship Training representative. A Bible Drills rally was conducted at First Baptist Church of Welcome in August of 2003 to begin the year. The following churches were represented at this meeting: Abbotts Creek, Carolina Memorial, Clearview, Rich Fork, Trinity and Welcome First. From one church in our association having Bible Drills back in 1999, we have grown to as many as six conducting the drills. We welcome Clearview and Rick Fork as the new churches to have Bible Drills. Jersey also participated in the drills this year.

A total of 37 youth and children qualified to participate in the associational Bible Drills held at Carolina Memorial on April 4, 2004. From that group 32 went on to the state drills held at Green Street Baptist Church in High Point on April 23-24.

A total of 23 were in the Children's drills at Carolina Memorial, while 14 took part in the Youth drills. The drills are available in either KJV or NIV. Our association saw 18 in the KJV drills while 19 were in the NIV drills.

Special recognition goes out to the leading Youth drillers, Jennifer Jones (NIV) from Carolina Memorial and Rebekah Hollar (KJV) from Abbotts Creek. Also, Christina McGuire from Abbotts Creek became a three-year winner. Jennifer and Christina represented our association at the Finalist Youth Bible Drills at Carolina Memorial on May 15.

A Bible Drills rally for the new year was conducted at the associational office on September 13. The following churches were represented: Abbotts Creek, Carolina Memorial, Clearview, Rick Fork and Welcome First. Any other churches in our association interested in doing Bible Drills need to contact me at pastor@firstbaptistwelcome.org or call me at 731-8434.

Respectfully submitted,
Mark Blair, Discipleship Training Representative

EVANGELISM COMMITTEE REPORT

The Association was also represented at the Davidson County Fair, September 15-20. Local church members passed out tracts, gave children over 300 helium balloons and passed out over 700 bottles of water. Churches volunteering to serve were Holloways, Smith Grove, Wallburg, Jersey and New Friendship.

Respectfully submitted,
Chris Byrne, Chairman

MISSION MINISTRY BUDGET- ADOPTED JULY 12, 2004
GENERAL FUND -LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
September 1, 2004 - August 31, 2005

		2003-2004	2004-2005
MISSIONS			
Mission Support			
5100	Alpha Pregnancy Center	600	600
5101	Brotherhood Handyman Ministries/Trailer	1,000	1,000
5102	Brotherhood/HopeBuilders	0	3,500
5103	Seaman's Center Ministry	200	200
5104	Literature Ministry	500	500
5106	Davidson Medical Ministries Clinic	600	600
5107	Davidson County Prison Ministry	4,000	4,500
5108	Disaster Relief Fund	500	500
5109	Ethnic Ministry	200	300
5110	Davidson County Women's Prison	500	200
5111	Seminary Extension	500	600
5112	Cooperative Community Ministries, Thomasville	200	200
5113	Crisis Ministry of Davidson County	200	200
5120	Christian Activity Center, East St. Louis, IL	1,400	1,400
5122	New Work (10% of Undesignated)	12,000	10,000
5124	Partnership Missions/materials/supplies-Foreign Missions	2,500	2,500
5125	Partnership Missions/Home Missions	0	1,500
5140	WMU Toy Store Ministry	275	200
5150	WMU Prison Ministry	1,200	1,000
5160	Youth Events	2,000	2,000
	Sub-Total	**$28,375**	**$ 31,500**
PERSONNEL			
Director of Missions			
5210	DOM Salary	28,539	28,139
	Housing Allowance	26,000	26,000
	Travel Allowance	4,000	4,000
	Social Security Offset	6,000	6,000
	Retirement	1,300	1,300
	Christmas Gift	300	300
	Hospital & Life Insurance	11,300	11,300
	Sub-Total	**$ 77,439**	**$ 77,039**
Office Manager			
5220	Salary	20,020	20,220
5221	FICA/Med-Care	1,522	1,522
5222	Christmas Gift	150	150
5223	Disability & Life Insurance	3,600	3,600
5224	Retirement	2,160	2,160
	Sub-Total	**$ 27,452**	**$ 27,652**
SUPPORT			
5230	Clerk	450	450
5231	Treasurer	1,500	1,500
5232	Temporary Secretary	3,500	3,000
5330	Associational Speakers	400	400
5331	Church Secretaries Association	100	100
5332	Convention Expense (DOM-$1,000; Sec.-$300)	1,300	1,300
5333	Equipment	2,000	2,000

5340	Library/Media/Audio Visuals	400	400
5351	Historical Committee	0	100
5360	Newsletter (paper,supplies)	600	600
5361	Newsletter Postage/Bulk Mail	1,100	1,500
5362	Office Supplies	2,000	2,000
5363	Office Postage (postage meter)	2,000	2,000
5364	Printing of Minutes	1,400	1,400
5370	Telephone	1,400	1,400
5384	Minister's Conference	500	500
	Sub-Total	**$18,750**	**$ 18,650**

		2003-2004	2004-2005
TRAINING/EQUIPPING SUPPORT			
5401	Brotherhood	1,000	1,000
5402	Discipleship Training	350	300
5403	Evangelism	1,000	1,000
5404	Leadership Conference	300	300
5405	Music	200	200
5406	Sunday School	250	250
5407	Christian Life & Public Affairs	200	200
5408	Pastoral Ministries Committee	300	300
5409	Associational Program Committee	1 ,600	1,600
5420	VBS	800	800
5430	WMU	650	700
5440	Youth	500	750
5450	Senior Adults	1,500	1,500
5460	Single Adults	0	0
5470	Missions Development Council	0	0
	Sub-Total	**$ 8,650**	**$ 8,900**
ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICE SUPPORT			
5510	Insurance	1,500	1,600
5520	Maintenance	8,500	3,000
5521	Custodial Services	500	500
5522	Yard Service	200	200
5530	Utilities	3,500	3,500
5531	Office Equipment-Leases/Maintenance	2,500	2,500
	Sub-Total	**$ 16,700**	**$ 11,300**
OTHER SUPPORT			
5610	Miscellaneous	3,500	3,500
5620	Storage Building	0	0
	Sub-Total	**$ 3,500**	**$ 3,500**
TOTAL AMOUNT OF BUDGET		**$180,866**	**$ 178,541**

Note: 2004-2005 Budget presented at the Summer Quarterly Meeting, held on July 12, 2004, at Trinity Baptist Church.

LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, Thomasville North Carolina
BUDGET/DESIGNATED FUNDS ACTIVITY - SEPTEMBER 1, 2004 THRU AUGUST 31, 2005
REPORT ENDING DATE - November 30, 2004

Fund Accounts	Beginning Balance	Receipts Year-to-Date	Total Year-to-Date	Disbursements Year-to-Date	Fund Balance Year-to-Date
01 Assoc. Program/Budget	**$54,186.57**	$29,073.28	**$83,259.85**	$40,195.97	**$43,063.88**
02 Annual Minutes	**315.00**	181.00	**$496.00**		**$496.00**
03 Youth Ministry	**527.02**		**$527.02**		**$527.02**
05 DCCC Ministry	**2,235.00**		**$2,235.00**		**$2,235.00**
06 Brotherhood Handyman	**3,356.24**	191.67	**$3,547.91**		**$3,547.91**
08 Recovery Trailer	**0.00**		**$0.00**		**$0.00**
10 Davidson Medical Ministry	**0.00**		**$0.00**		**$0.00**
11 Evangelism	**0.00**		**$0.00**		**$0.00**
13 Ch. Activity Ctr., E. St. Louis	**0.00**		**$0.00**		**$0.00**
15 New Work	**50,394.87**	6,500.00	**$56,894.87**	6,500.00	**$50,394.87**
16 Hispanic Mission	**0.00**	2,004.00	**$2,004.00**	2,004.00	**$0.00**
22 Leisure Ministry BSCNC	**4,567.80**	300.00	**$4,867.80**		**$4,867.80**
23 State Missions BSCNC	**0.00**		**$0.00**		**$0.00**
25 Cambodian Missions	**0.00**		**$0.00**		**$0.00**
26 Prison Seminary	**195.92**		**$195.92**		**$195.92**
30 Toy Store Ministry	**2,814.43**	437.00	**$3,251.43**	1,600.00	**$1,651.43**
31 Prisoner Gifts	**1,040.20**	195.00	**$1,235.20**	1,067.52	**$167.68**
36 Building Fund	**1,666.24**		**$1,666.24**		**$1,666.24**
Designated Funds Total	**$67,112.72**	**$9,808.67**	**$76,921.39**	**$11,171.52**	**$65,749.87**

GRAND TOTALS ALL FUNDS	Beginning Balance	Receipts Year-to-Date	Total Year-to-Date	Disbursements Year-to-Date	Fund Balance Year-to-Date
	$121,299.29	**$38,881.95**	**$160,181.24**	**$51,367.49**	**$108,813.75**

RECAP

LSB Checking	$40,191.59
LSB Investors Account	68,622.16
TOTAL	**$ 108,813.75**

Contributions Received - September 1, 2003 thru August 31, 2004

Fund #	1	2	3	5	6	8	10	11	13	15
Abbotts Creek	$7,500.00	$60.00							$100.00	
Amity	$600.00									
Antioch	$530.75									
Carolina Memorial	$16,720.72								$325.00	$49.10
Cedar Lodge	$1,300.00									
Center Hill	$1,200.00	$45.00								
Central	$1,131.25									
Churchland	$600.00									
Clearview	$200.00									
Coggins Memorial	$12,201.00									
Colonial	$4,671.00									
Denton First	$4,429.00									
Faith	$620.00	$60.00								
Floyd	$400.00	$50.00								
Greenwood	$2,750.00	$25.00			$750.00					
Hasty	$710.00									
High Rock	$200.00									
Hillside Park	$1,300.00									
Holloways	$2,728.86									
Jersey	$5,250.00								$10.00	
Lakeview	$304.66									
Lexington First	$7,000.00									
Liberty	$125.71	$45.00								
Lick Creek	$275.00									
Mills Home										
Mountain View	$1,000.00									
New Friendship	$6,635.92									
North Lexington	$1,100.00									
Oak Hill Memorial	$3,500.00									
Park Place	$4,255.85	$30.00								
Reeds	$9,559.89				$150.00					
Rich Fork	$3,750.00									
Smith Grove	$2,062.50									
Southgate	$4,542.07									
Southside	$3,604.47									
Stoners Grove	$1,200.00				$300.00					
Summerville	$4,252.87									
Thomasville First	$3,545.52									
Trinity	$2,303.61									
Victory	$440.00									
Wallburg	$2,499.96									
Welcome First	$13,549.43									
Others:										
Baptist St. Conv.	$5,789.90			$1,000.00						$16,500.00
Interest	$616.71									
Organizations	$64.32									$6,523.10
Individuals	$640.71				$200.00				$415.00	
Refunds	$41.58									
Friendship Ledford	$69.72									
Mision Bapt Hisp T'ville	$242.13									
Mision Bapt Hisp Lex	$293.00									
North Davidson Mission	$685.99									
The Sanctuary	$60.00									
TOTALS	$149,054.10	$ 315.00	$ -	$ 1,000.00	$ 1,400.00	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ 850.00	$ 23,072.20

Fund #	16	22	23	25	26	30	31	36	Refunds	TOTAL
Abbotts Creek										$ 7,660.00
Amity										$ 600.00
Antioch										$ 530.75
Carolina Memorial						$318.00	$225.00			$ 17,637.82
Cedar Lodge										$ 1,300.00
Center Hill										$ 1,245.00
Central										$ 1,131.25
Churchland							$50.00			$ 650.00
Clearview										$ 200.00
Coggins Memorial										$ 12,201.06
Colonial										$ 4,671.00
Denton First										$ 4,429.00
Faith										$ 680.00
Floyd										$ 450.00
Greenwood						$100.00	$100.00			$ 3,725.00
Hasty										$ 710.00
High Rock										$ 200.00
Hillside Park										$ 1,300.00
Holloways										$ 2,728.86
Jersey							$40.00			$ 5,300.00
Lakeview										$ 304.66
Lexington First							$50.00			$ 7,050.00
Liberty										$ 170.71
Lick Creek										$ 275.00
Mills Home										$ -
Mountain View										$ 1,000.00
New Friendship										$ 6,635.92
North Lexington										$ 1,100.00
Oak Hill Memorial										$ 3,500.00
Park Place						$500.00				$ 4,785.85
Reeds										$ 9,709.89
Rich Fork						$35.00	$40.00			$ 3,825.00
Smith Grove										$ 2,062.50
Southgate										$ 4,542.07
Southside							$40.00			$ 3,644.47
Stoners Grove						$200.00	$200.00			$ 1,900.00
Summerville										$ 4,252.87
Thomasville First										$ 3,545.52
Trinity										$ 2,303.61
Victory										$ 440.00
Wallburg						$1,112.35				$ 3,612.31
Welcome First							$285.00			$ 13,834.43
Others:										$ -
Baptist St. Conv.	$8,016.00	$1,133.32		$4,000.00	$1,104.94					$ 37,544.16
Interest										$ 616.71
Organizations										$ 6,587.42
Individuals						$285.85	$60.00	$4.08		$ 1,605.64
Refunds										$ 41.58
Friendship Ledford										$ 69.72
Mision Baut Hisp T'ville										$ 242.13
Mision Baut Hisp Lex										$ 293.00
North Davidson Mission										$ 685.99
The Sanctuary										$ 60.00
TOTALS	$ 8,016.00	$ 1,133.32	$ -	$ 4,000.00	$ 1,104.94	$ 2,551.20	$ 1,090.00	$ 4.08	$ -	$ 193,590.84

EXPLANATION OF BUDGET AND DESIGNATED ITEMS
2004-2005 General Budget

Mission Support

5100 **Alpha Pregnancy Center** - financial support for pregnancy center.

5101 **Brotherhood/Handyman/Trailer** - support for Brotherhood/Handyman projects (roofing houses, handicap ramp, etc.)

5102 **Brotherhood/Hope Builders** - support for Brotherhood project at Grifton

5103 **Seaman's Center** - financial support for ministry at Morehead City.

5104 **Literature Ministry** - mailing or pickup of used literature. Pilgrim Tract Society picks up literature at office, which is distributed globally.

5106 **Davidson Medical Ministries Clinic** - financial support for DMMC.

5107 **Davidson County Prison Ministry** - to supplement salary for Chaplain Mike Lee at Davidson Co. Correctional Center for Men.

5108 **Disaster Relief Fund** - support for local and area disaster relief (Hurricane Floyd, eastern NC, ice damage, etc.)

5109 **Ethnic Ministry** - support for any ethic groups (Hispanic, Cambodian, etc.)

5110 **Davidson County Women's Prison** - financial support for women's prison.

5111 **Seminary Extension** - supplies for teaching Seminary Extension classes at prison.

5112 **Cooperative Community Ministries**, Thomasville - financial support for local ministry.

5113 **Crisis Ministry of Davidson County** - financial support for local ministry.

5120 **Christian Activity Center**, East St. Louis, IL - financial support for CAC ministries.

5122 **New Work** - expenses for starting new churches (supplies, advertisements, pay for workers, pastor, etc.) Association voted to give 10% of undesignated balance to New Work Designated Account 15.

5124 **Partnership Missions** - assistance for association Foreign Missions-sponsored mission projects, trips.

5125 **Partnership Missions** - assistance for association Home Missions-sponsored mission projects, trips.

5140 **WMU Toy Store Ministry** - to supplement church donations of toys.

5150 **WMU Prison Ministry** - gifts for men and women's prison at Christmas. To supplement amounts received from churches.

5160 **Youth Events** - to assist with expenses for association-sponsored youth events.

Support

5230 **Clerk** - paid annually for associational clerk's duties

5231 **Treasurer** - paid monthly for associational treasurer's duties

5232 **Temporary Secretary** - secretarial assistance when Office Manager is out of office.

5330 **Associational Speakers** - honorariums paid to speakers for special events.

5331 **Church Secretaries Association** - NC Baptist Secretaries Association

5332 **Convention Expense** - Mike: convention and seminar expenses. Secretary: annual meeting of NC Baptist Secretaries Association

5333 **Equipment** - new equipment needed for office

5340 **Library/Media/Audio Visuals** - training programs used for churches. If church purchases training programs, association office will purchase from church for one half the cost.

5351 **Historical Committee** - assistance for publishing/distributing historical information.

5360 **Newsletter** - paper needed to publish bi-monthly newsletter.

5361 **Newsletter/Bulk Mail Postage** - amount deposited with Post Office for newsletters, notices of quarterly meetings).

5362 **Office Supplies** - paper, envelopes, ink cartridges for printers, etc.

5363 **Office Postage** - all postage for office other than bulk mail

5364 **Printing of Minutes** - cost of reproducing annual minutes, including cost of paper/covers.

5370 **Telephone** - all telephone and fax expenses

5384 **Minister's Conference** - cost for meetings, speakers, etc.

Training/Equipping Support

5401 **Brotherhood** - expenses for training events, RA car races, trophies, etc., special speakers

5402 **Discipleship Training** - materials for training such as Bible drills

5403 **Evangelism** - expenses for associational evangelism events or training programs.

5404 **Leadership Conference** - travel expenses for conference
5405 **Music** - any materials for music promotion on an associational level
5406 **Sunday School** - materials and expenses for associational Sunday school events.
5407 **Christian Life & Public Affairs** - expenses for mailings pertaining to moral issues.
5408 **Pastoral Ministries Committee** - any expenses pertaining to ministers and staff members, such as flowers sent when a family member dies.
5409 **Associational Program Committee** - expenses pertaining to the quarterly and annual meetings, printing of Book of Reports, assistance to churches for meals, speakers.
5420 **VBS** - materials for Associational VBS training
5430 **WMU** - expenses for training events
5440 **Youth** - expenses for training events, Everybody's Day, parade floats, etc.
5450 **Senior Adults** - expenses for annual Senior adult celebration

Associational Office Support

5510 **Insurance** - Multi-Peril policy covering buildings, Non-Owned Auto policy, Worker's Compensation.
5520 **Maintenance** - painting, upkeep of premises
5521 **Custodial Services** - monthly cleaning of office
5522 **Office Yard Service** - mowing and grooming yard
5530 **Utilities** - telephone, power
5531 **Office Equipment** - lease and maintenance agreements on postage machine and copier.

Other Support

5610 **Miscellaneous** - any unexpected expenses that arise during the associational year.

DESIGNATED FUNDS

01 **Assoc. Program/Budget** - contributions received from churches.
02 **Annual Minutes** - money received from churches paying for additional annuals. To be transferred to Account #5364-Printing of Minutes, to help offset this cost.
03 **Youth Ministry** - specific contributions towards youth activities - $500 received from Cooperative Agreements for 2003; a portion was carried over from last year.
05 **DCCC Ministry** - student Ministry at Davidson County Community College. $500 received from Cooperative Agreements for 2003 with another $500 to be received in August. $500 was carried over from last year.
06 **Brotherhood Handyman** - contributions received from churches and individuals for the Handyman Ministry (primarily roofing and handicap ramps).
15 **New Work** - account created to assist with new churches and new works in the association.
16 **Hispanic Missions** - these funds are received from Cooperative Agreements for the specific purposes of paying the Hispanic pastors in our missions.
22 **Leisure Ministry BSCNC** - these monies are being received from Cooperative Agreements for the purpose of starting a ministry at High Rock Lake or other resort areas.
23 **State Missions BSCNC** - associational share of the North Carolina State Missions Offering. Usually received in January of each year.
25 **Cambodian Missions** - money received from Cooperative Agreements for the Cambodian Ministry at North Lexington Baptist Church.
26 **Prison Seminary** - reimbursement from BSCNC for books and scholarship for Seminary Extension classes at Davidson Correctional Center for Men.
30 **Toy Store Ministry** - specific contributions from churches and individuals to assist with Toy Store Ministry.
31 **Prisoner Gifts** - specific contributions from churches and individuals to assist with prisons gifts..
36 **Building Fund** - this account will phase out if there are no other expenses for the Storage building.

LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, Thomasville, North Carolina
GENERAL BUDGET FINANCIAL REPORT - SEPTEMBER 1, 2004 THRU AUGUST 31, 2005
REPORT ENDING DATE - November 30, 2004

Acct. No.	Item	Disbursements YTD	Received YTD	Balance YTD	2004-2005 Budget
MISSIONS					
	Mission Support				
5100	Alpha Pregnancy Center		0.00	600.00	600.00
5101	Br'hood/Handyman Min./Trailer		0.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
5102	Brotherhood/Hopebuilders	730.00	0.00	2,770.00	3,500.00
5103	Seaman's Center Ministry		0.00	200.00	200.00
5104	Literature Ministry	150.00	0.00	350.00	500.00
5106	Davidson Med. Min. Clinic		0.00	600.00	600.00
5107	Davidson Co. Prison Min.		249.99	4,749.99	4,500.00
5108	Disaster Relief Fund		0.00	500.00	500.00
5109	Ethnic Ministry		0.00	300.00	300.00
5110	Davidson Co. Women's Prison		0.00	200.00	200.00
5111	Seminary Extension	1,559.87	0.00	-959.87	600.00
5112	Cooperative Community Ministry, T-ville		0.00	200.00	200.00
5113	Crisis Ministry of Davidson County		0.00	200.00	200.00
5120	Christian Activity Center		0.00	1,400.00	1,400.00
5122	New Work (10% of Undesig.)	1,676.93	0.00	8,323.07	10,000.00
5124	Partnership Missions-Foreign Missions		0.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
5125	Partnership Missions-Home		0.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
5140	WMU Toy Store Ministry	44.79	0.00	155.21	200.00
5150	WMU Prison Ministry	204.34	0.00	795.66	1,000.00
5160	Youth Events		0.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
	Sub-Total	**$4,365.93**	**$249.99**	**$27,384.06**	**$31,500.00**
PERSONNEL					
	Associational Missionary				
5210	AM Total Package	19,989.54	0.00	57,049.46	77,039.00
	Sub-Total	**$19,989.54**	**$0.00**	**$57,049.46**	**$77,039.00**
	Office Manager				
5220	Salary	4,668.00	0.00	15,552.00	20,220.00
5221	FICA/Med-Care	357.12	0.00	1,164.88	1,522.00
5222	Christmas Gift		0.00	150.00	150.00
5223	Disability/Life Ins.	762.75	0.00	2,837.25	3,600.00
5224	Retirement	540.00	0.00	1,620.00	2,160.00
	Sub-Total	**$6,327.87**	**$0.00**	**$21,324.13**	**$27,652.00**
SUPPORT					
5230	Clerk			450.00	450.00
5231	Treasurer	375.00		1,125.00	1,500.00
5232	Temporary Secretarial	356.00		2,644.00	3000.00
5330	Associational Speakers			400.00	400.00
5331	Church Secretaries Association			100.00	100.00
5332	Convention Expense			1,300.00	1,300.00
5333	Equipment	3,161.85		-1,161.85	2,000.00
5340	Library/Media/Audio Visuals			400.00	400.00
5351	Historical Committee			100.00	100.00
5360	Newsletter			600.00	600.00
5361	Newsletter Postage	500.00		1,000.00	1,500.00
5362	Office Supplies	1,003.95		996.05	2,000.00
5363	Office Postage	445.59		1,554.41	2,000.00
5364	Printing of Minutes			1,400.00	1,400.00
5370	Telephone	527.32		872.68	1,400.00
5384	Minister's Conference			500.00	500.00
	Sub-Total	**$6,369.71**	**$0.00**	**$12,280.29**	**$18,650.00**

Acct. No.	Item	Disbursements YTD	Received YTD	Balance YTD	2004-2005 Budget
	TRAINING/EQUIPPING SUPPORT				
5401	Brotherhood			1,000.00	1,000.00
5402	Discipleship Training	115.90		184.10	300.00
5403	Evangelism	697.75		302.25	1,000.00
5404	Key Leadership Conference			300.00	300.00
5405	Music			200.00	200.00
5406	Sunday School			250.00	250.00
5407	Christian Life & Public Affairs			200.00	200.00
5408	Pastoral Ministries Committee	29.48		270.52	300.00
5409	Associational Program Committee	349.14		1,250.86	1,600.00
5420	VBS			800.00	800.00
5430	WMU			700.00	700.00
5440	Youth			750.00	750.00
5450	Senior Adults			1,500.00	1,500.00
	Sub-Total	**$1,192.27**	**$0.00**	**$7,707.73**	**$8,900.00**
	ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICE SUPPORT				
5510	Insurance	821.75	0.00	778.25	1,600.00
5520	Maintenance	27.29	0.00	2,972.71	3,000.00
5521	Custodial Services	80.00	0.00	420.00	500.00
5522	Office Yard Service	10.00	0.00	190.00	200.00
5530	Utilities	505.36	0.00	2,994.64	3,500.00
5531	Office Equipment	282.12	0.00	2,217.88	2,500.00
	Sub-Total	**$1,726.52**	**$0.00**	**$9,573.48**	**$11,300.00**
	OTHER SUPPORT				
5610	Miscellaneous	22.89	0.00	3,477.11	3,500.00
	Sub-Total	**$22.89**	**$0.00**	**$3,477.11**	**$3,500.00**
	TOTALS	**$39,994.73**	**$249.99**	**$138,796.26**	**$178,541.00**

Adjustment for Taxes Payable	201.24
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	**$40,195.97**

Memorials - Listing of Deceased Church Members

from September 1, 2003- August 31, 2004

"Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints." Psalm 116:15

Abbott's Creek
Mr. Jack Austin
Mr. Willie Essick
Mrs. Hazel Green
Mr. Linzo Hedgecock
Mrs. Phelene Wright Liggett
Mrs. Phyllis Reece
Mrs. Lucille Spurgeon
Mr. Clell Spurgeon
Mrs. Netril Weavil

Antioch
Miss Grace Palmer

Carolina Memorial
Mr. George Carter, Jr.
Mrs. Beatrice Freedle
Mrs. Kathy Hunt
Mrs. Buena Lanier
Mr. Otho Moody
Mrs. Hilda Pearson
Mrs. Florence Reece
Mrs. Kathleen Smith
Mr. James Talley
Mr. David Yesalavich
Mr. Floyd York
Mr. Ronie York

Cedar Lodge
Mrs. Edna Lookabill
Mr. Ed Suggs
Mr. G. L. Williams

Center Hill
Mrs. Ruth Wrenn Elliott
Mr. Tom Hunt, Jr.
Mr. Barry Kinney
Mr. Ray Lumsden, Deacon

Churchland
Mr. L. V. Grubb
Mr. Earl Williams
Mrs. Frances Wilson

Clearview
none listed

Coggins Memorial
Mr. Bill Beshears (Deacon)
Mrs. Ada Foster
Mrs. Annie Hill
Mrs. Kathleen Holder
Mrs. Rebecca Link
Mrs. Wanda White
Mrs. Lela Yarbrough Young

Colonial
Mrs. Helen Embler

Denton First Baptist
Mr. Ira Craven (Deacon)
Mr. Brack Martin
Mrs. Lillian Morris
Mr. Neal Morris
Mrs. Anita Shaw
Mrs. Mattie Snider

Faith
Mr. Nicky Joe Brown
Mr. Gene Curry

Floyd
Mrs. Lillie Shipton
(Oldest Member of the Church)

Greenwood
Mr. Elton Brown
Mrs. Hazel Byerly
Mrs. Doris Goodin
Mrs. Clatie Hill
Ms. Kim Hubbard
Mr. Marvin Hughes
Mr. Frank Mendenhall
Ms. Donna Miller

Hasty
Mrs. Delree Moore
Mrs. Sybil Robbins
Mrs. Vivian Stilwell
Mr. Clifton Workman

High Rock
Mr. Walter Bailey

Hillside Park
Mr. Larry Carter
Mr. William Grant
Mr. Henry Jenkins
Mrs. Jenny Varney

Holloways
Mr. Frank Fuller
Mr. Van Garner
Miss Grace Palmer

Jersey
Mrs. Carol Broadway
Mrs. Bertha Burris
Mrs. Faydene Cooper
Mrs. Cleo Tulbert
Mr. Bobby Woodall

Lakeview
none listed

Lexington, First
Mrs. Rachel J. Barnes
Mr. Vernon Brady
Mrs. Janice Durham
Mr. George T. Fuller
Mr. Archie L. Hodges
Mrs. Francis O. Hunt
Mrs. Dianne Lanier
Mrs. Cornelia K. Thomason
Mrs. Delphine B. Workman

Liberty
Mrs. Lillian Lambeth
Mr. Roger Dale Moore
Mr. Lee Summey

Lick Creek
Mr. Bennett Cole III
Mr. Mose L Cole
Mrs. Bessie McDowell
Mrs. Hilda Ours

Mills Home
Josh Willis

New Friendship
Mr. Zeb Cash
Mrs. Edna Enscore
Mr. Thomas Shore
Mrs. Edith Steelman
Mr. Manson Daniel Welch

North Lexington
Mr. Gene Sain
Mr. Terry Tyler

Oak Hill
Mr. David Lambeth
Mr. Beauford Trotter

Park Place
Mr. Jack Freeman
Mrs. Nancy Perdue
Mrs. Ruth Richardson
Mr. Archie Shimpock
Mr. Van Smith

Reeds
Mrs. Alma Curry
Mr. Lester Foster, Sr.
Mr. Doug Hanes
Mr. Larkin Keller, Jr.
Mrs. Moselle Michaels
Mr. Park Myers
Mrs. Mary Phelps
Mrs. Geneva Snyder

Rich Fork
Mr. James Beck
Mr. V. L. Boswell
Mrs. Farrah Everhart
Mrs. Rhonda Hicks
Mr. Clayton Kanoy
Mr. Bill Lanzer
Mr. Gilbert Myers

Mrs. Lillian Whitesides
Mr. Ike Young

Smith Grove
Mr. Harold Sowers

Southgate
Mrs. Daneze Hill
Mrs. Maudie Southern

Southside
Mr. Pete Alford
Mr. Luther Leonard
Mrs. Marvel Miller
Mr. Paul Sprinkle

Stoner's Grove
Mrs. Irene Calcutt
Mrs. Nona Riblin
Mrs. Lillie Mae Shirley

Summerville
Mrs. Nellie Daniel

Thomasville First
Mrs. Grace Black
Mrs. Elizabeth Blair
Mrs. Faye Blair
Mr. Ted Hames
Mrs. Virginia Harrington
Mrs. Ruby Hiatt
Mrs. Sarah Ivey
Ms. Ruby Lowman
Mr. Woodrow Morris
Mr. C D Nance
Mrs. Ruth Potter
Mr. Horace Reid
Mrs. Louise Stone
Mrs. Imogene Terrell
Mrs. Ruby Thomas
Mrs. Cloie Tysinger

Trinity
Mr. Marvin Lyon

Victory
Mrs. Dot Hundley
Mrs. Mildred Magee

Wallburg
Mrs. Edith Bull
Mr. Harry Bryant
Mr. Edgar Duff
Mrs. Joy Holcomb
Mrs. Nora Ruark
Mr. Neece Segraves
Mr. Everett Swaim

Welcome First
Mr. Evin Arledge
Mr. J. D. Cheek
Mrs. Lucille Disher
Mr. Norris Goode

Ethnic Committee Report

The purpose of the Ethnic Committee is to reach out to the Ethnic communities in the Liberty Baptist Association.
At present the North Lexington Baptist Church sponsors churches for the Cambodians and Hispanics. Carolina Memorial and Coggins Memorial have established Hispanic churches.
In May of this year, Carolina Memorial had a 16-hour workshop to train teachers to teach English as a Second Language (ESL). Eight people responded (5 women and 3 men) and were certified by the North American Mission Board to teach classes.
In August, these teachers, with Wanda Mills as director, began ESL classes for Hispanics. They now have 10 students attending regularly in beginners, middle, and advanced classes on Monday nights.
If any church is interested in reaching Hispanics or any other ethnic group through ESL classes, contact Maurine Perryman who is a Literacy Missions volunteer certified by North American Mission Board to teach teachers how to have an ES class in your church.
Let's work together to reach out to these people in our communities for Jesus Christ.

Ethnic Committee:
Maurine Perryman
David Shaffer

MISSIONS DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE REPORT

At the Missions Development Committee meeting in September, we voted to recommend Sanctuary Baptist Church for watchcare: Sanctuary is meeting in the Archdale area with Rev. Steven Jones as the pastor. At the same meeting we also voted to recommend Friendship-Ledford Community Church and North Davidson Community Church for full membership in Liberty Baptist Association.
God is blessing our efforts in the area of New Work and ministry. There are many areas of mission work available to individuals and to church groups, and it is our goal to make the information available to all churches, and to assist them in selecting their area of service which will use their capabilities, bringing honor to Jesus Christ.

Respectfully submitted,
Gary Myers, 2003-2004 Chairman

VBS Report

Once again this year we had an outstanding vacation Bible School training clinic. This past year our churches sent over 200 people to be trained in their particular area for their VBS' during the summer. All together we had 28 of our churches participate in the clinic. As reported by our churches, we had 3852 people participate in our Vacation Bible Schools. I want to thank everyone who participated in our clinics by giving their time and talents to help us all have better Vacation Bible Schools. This is truly a team effort, which is why it works so well. Start getting ready for next year's Vacation Bible School. It is never too early to start planning.

Respectfully submitted,
Tim Landreth
Associational VBS Director

SEAMEN'S CENTER

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Morehead City, North Carolina 28557
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Bill Loftin - President
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March 2004

Dear Friends of the Seamen's Ministry:

Despite the fact that the number of ships making calls at the Port of Morehead City is greatly reduced from former years, the Seamen's Ministry has operated on a continuous basis. Our volunteers, though their ranks have been somewhat depleted, have remained faithful and the services to seafarers have continued with very little interruption.

One of our greatest concerns, however, is that so many of the crews on visiting ships are either all or nearly all without proper visas and are denied shore privileges. This means that they cannot leave the ship to visit our Center, or even to make phone calls. Since 9-11 the problem has accelerated at U. S. Ports. Efforts are underway through leadership of the Center for Seafarers Rights of New York to address the problem, but no complete solution has yet been worked out.

Part of the problem may be with ships' owners being derelict in following proper procedures and/or paying the necessary fees for shore privileges. As is so often the case, those who contribute so much to the well-being of society are denied the proper fruits of their labor. Fortunately not all crews are so restricted and they continue to visit the Center and profit from the services offered.

This no shore pass situation has not stopped our shipboard visitation with such services as we have available. We feel a particular burden to reach out to these crews, many of whom will be at sea for many months cut off from direct communication with families.

We share magazines, devotional materials, Bibles, and any other "ditty bag" items we have. A ditty bag is a small bag with such items as soap, toothbrush, paste, shaving cream, razor, pens, devotional booklets, Bibles and/or Gospel tapes. Whenever available a pair of socks, gloves, or a knitted cap is included. Sometimes packages of cookies, candy, or whatever we have are added. What we do is share what we've got at the time.

At Christmas time there are really nice ditty bags for distribution which churches and individuals have generously supplied over the years. Actually a continuing inventory of the kind of items mentioned would

really help in our outreach to shipbound seamen. From time to time throughout the year - not just Christmas time - these items are donated and we are happy to have them for distribution. Because of the generousity of churches, youth groups, women's groups and individuals, 263 individual gifts were distributed during 2003. Most of these had a piece of Christian literature of some kind in them.

In addition to this sort of outreach, 180 Bibles (by count - I think there were more), 202 Gospel Tapes (recorded - but there were more), were distributed. These items - Bibles, tapes, devotional literature - are all out in the shelves and on the counter and are available just like magazines from the shelves. An absolutely accurate account would be very difficult. The same is true for visitors who come in groups and a busy volunteer could easily miss recording some of them. (By the way - we sure could use several more volunteers - just three hours a week would help a lot.)

We recorded 2514 contacts with seamen, truckers and military in 2003 - down some from 2002 but still a substantial number of opportunities. We also made at least 100 round trips to Wal-Mart or other places in the Center van and volunteer autos. Like every other charitable religious organization, this ministry is very dependent upon the volunteers, prayers, and financial support of individuals, churches, and civic groups who answer God's call to be partners in the work. God's faithfulness is affirmed by your faithfulness. All of us are His debtors for the opportunity of ministering to "these strangers in our midst," some of whom may be angels unawares.

Come to see us! Ladies groups! Youth groups! Men's groups! Individual Families! Anyone - we would be glad to see you. Or, let us go see you and talk face to face about the Seamen's Ministry. Become a volunteer. (Call 252-726-4683).

Shalom,

Lenwood Lee

Lenwood Lee, Director of Ministry

P.S. We can now offer E-mail service to seamen who have computer skills

VOLUNTEER MISSIONS/PARTNERSHIP COMMITTEE REPORT

"For Christ's love compels us, because we are convinced that one died for all, and therefore all died. And he died for all, that those who live should no longer live for themselves but him who died for them and was raised again." 2Cor 5:14-15 (NIV)

This year MISSION VOLUNTEERS from our association served in the following places: Alaska, Philippines, Honduras, Christian Activity Center in East St. Louis IL, Kentucky, New York, West Virginia, and in Grifton, NC. This has truly been a very busy year for our Mission Volunteers. The Volunteer Mission/Partnership Committee is planning a special Mission Emphasis again and hopes to offer opportunities. If your church or group is interested in any mission opportunity, please contact the associational office.

Respectfully submitted,
Michael Rinehardt, Chairman

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION REPORT

We are excited about WMU involvement in missions this past year and we hope to increase our involvement this year. Missions, after all is the purpose of WMU-praying for, learning about, giving to, doing and developing a missions lifestyle.

We have already scheduled several things that will provide opportunities for missions involvement. On November 21 at Coggins Memorial the WOM is hosting a Lottie Moon Tea Party. It will be as if Lottie Moon herself were the hostess and talking with friends. On the 19th of February, 2005, Carolina Memorial is hosting a Women's Conference featuring Edna Ellison from National WMU. Ridgecrest will once again be the site of Missions Extravaganza on April 15-17 and the Annual WMU Meeting and Salad Supper will be April 25th at Abbott's Creek. Associational Acteens will participate in the Cross Walk North Carolina during the week of January 2-9, 2005.

The Toy Store has sent out applications which should be returned by November 19. Toy pick-up appointments will be scheduled for December 13-15, 2004. New toys and/or money donations are needed.

Smaller groups are planning area missions studies, women's conferences, prayer retreats, and opportunities to do missions. We urge everyone to get involved in at least some of these opportunities.

Linda Skeen, Associational WMU Director

BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC.

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Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina

(July 2003-July 2004)

Above and beyond -- these words best describe what North Carolina Baptists did last year!... Churches around the state came mightily to the aid of Baptist Children's Homes in 2003-04 as their beloved institution faced one of its most critical financial times. Prayers, money, and gifts of food, towels, sheets, school supplies, and clothes flooded in. These showers of blessings softened the blow of a nearly four million-dollar budget cut. ***Thank you.***

History was made as churches from all 80 Baptist Associations gave food to BCH's first-ever statewide food roundup. Nearly 500,000 pounds of food were collected filling every available space on our campuses. Directors of Missions graciously opened their offices as collection points for the food. Churches delivered food filling their offices, halls and storage rooms. Trucking companies picked up the food from the Association offices and delivered this great expression of your love and concern. ***Thank you.***

(The next Food Roundup is slated for April 2005.)

Last year, nearly 2000 videos of ***Jennifer's Story*** were distributed to churches. The video told how North Carolina Baptists made a difference in the life of Jennifer Shore. Jennifer found hope and healing at Baptist Children's Homes. As an adult she and her husband returned to become child care workers. More than 600 churches invited BCH representatives to share how the lives of children, children like Jennifer, are being changed every day. United together, North Carolina Baptists not only met the 2003 Thanksgiving Offering goal, but exceeded it! ***Thank you.***

Baptist Children's Homes is at the center of North Carolina Baptists' hearts. Their actions prove it! Jesus challenged us all when he said, "In the same way, let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven." Our children and staff, the people in your communities, and the citizens of North Carolina saw Jesus in action and our Heavenly Father was glorified! ***Thank you.***

Blackwell marks 20th year as president...On July 1, 1983, Michael C. Blackwell became president of BCH. Trustees honored his twenty years of ministry during their September 2003 board meeting with "A Celebration of Ministry."

BCH begins strategic planning process...BCH president Michael C. Blackwell initiated an agency year-long strategic planning effort. Blackwell says this is the most comprehensive effort since he became president. All areas of the agency are involved in

the development of the plan. Recommendations will be presented to the Trustees at their September meeting. The plan will debut in January 2005.

Shine your light!...Inspired by North Carolina Baptists, this year's Thanksgiving Offering theme is "Shine your light." Although blessings flowed freely in 2003 helping to avert more difficult hardships, our need remains great. Children and families continue to pour out their hurt on our doorsteps. Alone and suffering, children need to know that in their journey of darkness there is a light shining, guiding them to a better day. You help keep the light on and shining bright as we, day-to-day, offer help in Jesus' name. Our statewide Thanksgiving Offering goal this year is $1,300,000. This represents a $75,000 increase over last year's offering goal. An increase demanded by necessity. Challenge your church to participate in the 2004 Thanksgiving Offering. ***Our success depends on you.***

BCH...Focused on the Future. Despite the trying times, Baptist Children's Homes continues to be committed to providing only the highest quality of service. Children who come through BCH's doors continue to receive an abundance of love, care and healing. A dedicated staff serves and gives of themselves sacrificially. The lives of children and families are worth every effort. BCH holds true to its mission of ***"helping hurting children... healing broken families."***

The support of North Carolina Baptists through the Thanksgiving Offering, Cooperative Missions giving, church and individual gifts, memorials, honors, and estate gifts enables BCH to provide care for more than 2000 children through our locations across the state. ***Thank you, North Carolina Baptists, for your continued prayers and support. We could not do what we do without you.***

Michael C. Blackwell, President
Abe Elmore, Board of Trustees Chair
Fall 2004

The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc.
2003 Annual Report

The mission of the North Carolina Baptist Foundation since its inception in 1920 has been to assist the Convention and its institutions and agencies in increasing an awareness among North Carolina Baptists of Christian estate stewardship principles as a means of financially undergirding churches, institutions and mission endeavors on a permanent basis. The uniqueness of the ministries and services provided by the institutions and General Board staff merits increased financial support. The Foundation accomplishes these objectives by offering assistance in estate planning counsel, Will preparation, planned giving, charitable remainder trusts, endowment funds and church fund management.

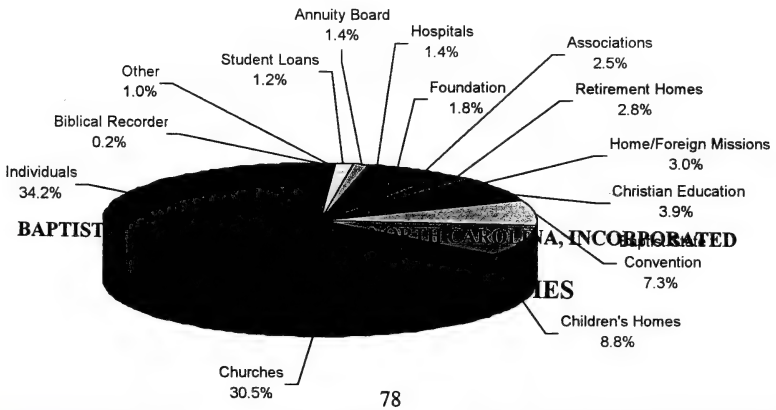
During 2003, the Foundation assisted individuals in establishing 23 endowment funds and 8 charitable remainder trusts totaling $633,000 and received $2.7 million in contributions to existing endowments all of which will ultimately benefit countless Baptist causes on a permanent basis. Programs were provided for churches and associations during the year to promote Make Your Will Month, Christian estate stewardship, and church fund management. Over $2.0 million from churches and institutions came under management to enhance numerous ministries including scholarships, building funds, cemetery funds, benevolence funds, general operating funds and other various mission causes. Overall, the Foundation received $5.3 million in contributions during 2003 for Christian causes.

The Foundation employs professional money managers to invest these funds according to an investment policy adopted by its Board. Four investment pools are offered: a growth fund, a balanced fund, an income fund and a fixed income fund. The Foundation uses the services of Salomon Smith Barney to help select top money managers and evaluate performance. As of December 31, 2003, the Foundation held $112.9 million under management.

During 2003, our distributions totaled $5.7 million, with charity receiving $3.8 million and individuals, through trusts, receiving $1.9 million. During the 83-year history of The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc., $25 million has been distributed to individuals and $44.1 million to Baptist churches, institutions and mission causes for a grand historical total of $69.1 million.

Harold G. Koger, Chair, Board of Directors
M. Clay Warf, Executive Director

2003 Distributions



BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES

"Lord...you have made my lot secure. The boundary lines have fallen for me in pleasant places; surely I have a delightful inheritance." -Psalm 16:5-6

Because of your generosity, Psalm 16 is a fitting scripture for the over 700 Older Adults who reside at the Baptist Retirement Homes of North Carolina...

Their lot has been made secure-
All of your gifts through the Cooperative Giving Plans of the Baptist State Convention, through the February North Carolina Offering for Older Adults, and through direct gifts from the churches are designated to provide care for those who otherwise could not receive care. Many of the "Homes"' assisted living care residents and the majority of the "Homes"' nursing care residents receive financial assistance from you. Furthermore, the "Homes"' promise to each of its residents is care that will last for as long as they live.

Their boundary lines have fallen in pleasant places-
At the Western North Carolina Baptist Home in Asheville, at the Brookridge Retirement Community in Winston-Salem, at The Gardens of Taylor Glen in Concord, at The Taylor House in Albemarle, and at the Hamilton Baptist Home in northeastern North Carolina – beauty, security and comfort are found in full measure.

They have a delightful inheritance-
At each of the Homes, the ministry of a Baptist Chaplain lifts the hearts of its residents. The enrichment and recreational opportunities at each Home make for an enjoyable lifestyle. Day after day the high quality of care that is given speaks of the care of a loving Heavenly Father, helping to make life for "Aging Saints"...The Best of Times!

Richard C. Keel, Chair, Board of Trustees
William B. Stillerman, President

BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES
OF NORTH CAROLINA, INCORPORATED
PROUDLY SERVING OLDER ADULTS SINCE 1937

BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION OF NC REPORTS
2004 Office of ANNUITY REPORT

After a tumultuous three year period resulting in a dramatic economic downturn which adversely affected retirement accounts of millions of Americans a dramatic rebound occurred during the last year. As a result, the asset base of the Annuity Board gained over 1 billion dollars in one year for the first time since the Annuity Board was established in 1918 to serve ministers and employees of Southern Baptist churches. Concurrently, many participant retirement accounts recouped much of the funds which evaporated during the downturn. The downturn presented a serious challenge to our office in assisting participants with meaningful educational materials and resources to make wise investment decisions.

Secondly, the ongoing national health care crisis continues to present serious challenges to our churches who strive to be responsible employers by providing adequate medical insurance in a rapidly escalating cost environment. To assist in this effort, the Annuity Board responded this year by offering new medical insurance plans. These new plans offer more flexibility with varying levels of deductibles and monthly rates. Along with the new plans, the Board emphasized a three-step approach to address the rising cost of health

care. First, the Annuity Board is aggressively managing costs and continuing to create plans that provide more options for participants. Second, participants are encouraged to develop healthy habits related to eating and exercise. And third, churches need to take the initiative, if at all possible, to provide medical coverage as a benefit for their ministers and staff rather than as a part of the salary package. Those church employees who live within the constraints of an antiquated "pay package" approach have seen a dramatic decline in disposable income if they have tried to maintain adequate medical insurance for themselves and their families.

Thirdly, as a result of actions taken by messengers at the annual meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention in Indianapolis, the Annuity Board gained permission to serve evangelical ministry organizations outside the SBC and to change the official name of the Annuity Board to GuideStone Financial Resources of the Southern Baptist Convention. The name change will become official with an affirmative vote at next year's annual convention in Nashville, Tennessee.

Fourthly, the Endowment ministry of the Annuity Board continued its work to make Southern Baptists aware of the tragic plight of retired ministers and their widows who were unable to plan adequately for retirement. Individuals and churches responded with open hearts and open hands as they helped to underwrite the financial assistance given to those who are in desperate need. More than 3,000 persons in our convention presently receive financial assistance with 335 residing in North Carolina.

As of May 31, 2004, North Carolina participants in the retirement plan moved above 5,200 in 2,332 (61%) of our churches. Our goal is to have all of our churches actively participating in the retirement plan provided by the annuity Board of the SBC.

In closing, we remain committed to serve all of our churches, ministers, and other church employees. For more information related to products or services, call the Baptist State Convention of NC at 1.800.395.5102 extensions 320 or 321, visit our Web site at www.bscnc.org, call the Annuity Board at 1.800.262.0511, or visit the Annuity Board Web site at www.absbc.org.

Johnny E. Ross, Senior Consultant, Annuity

Biblical Recorder
2004 Report to the Associations

After celebrating its 170th anniversary in 2003, the *Biblical Recorder* remains true to its founding mission of publishing relevant news and fostering healthy dialogue among members of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina.

Today's North Carolina Baptists face a constantly changing landscape as population shifts, cultural trends and denominational debates each leave their mark. As always, Baptists find a variety of ways to express their identity. North Carolina Baptists have a clear need to be informed of the many issues affecting Baptist life, mission work and mutual cooperation.

The *Biblical Recorder* exists to provide this needed service to Baptists in North Carolina and beyond. The *Recorder* staff works diligently to provide regular, dependable and balanced news coverage and analysis of the most significant matters relating to Baptist life. In addition, the *Biblical Recorder* includes a variety of supportive resources and feature articles designed to encourage and inspire as well as to inform.

The *Recorder* was privately owned and operated in support of Baptist work in North Carolina until 1938, when the paper was purchased by the Baptist State Convention and incorporated as an agency of the convention. It serves as the official news publication of the Convention, and seeks to serve the full spectrum of its churches.

The *Biblical Recorder* is widely acknowledged to be in the top echelon of state Baptist papers, winning national honors from the Baptist Communicator's Association every year since 2000, including the prestigious Burkhalter Award for news writing in 2001, and several first place awards for news and editorial writing, including two in 2003.

As readers have shifted in their preference for electronic media over traditional print formats, the *Biblical Recorder* has developed and maintains a popular and rapidly growing presence on the World Wide Web. Our Website, at www.biblicalrecorder.org, provides much of each paper's content online, as well as to access classified ads, online Bible study resources and a portal to other news services. The site is frequently updated with breaking news items and other articles of interest.

The *Biblical Recorder* was one of the first state papers to create a website, and it remains a leader in the field. Google.com's prestigious page-rank feature lists www.biblicalrecorder.org as the number one site for Baptist news on the Internet. Web users in North Carolina and around the world now rival the number of those who read the *Recorder*'s print edition, as an average of more than 40,000 unique visitors come to the site each month.

As a BSCNC agency, the *Biblical Recorder* receives annual support from Cooperative Missions Giving contributions, making it possible to offer the *Recorder* at subscription rates below the actual cost. Subscription packets and free sample issues are available.

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North Carolina Baptist Hospital

BAPTIST HOSPITAL AND NORTH CAROLINA BAPTISTS: PARTNERS IN MINISTRY

The mission of North Carolina Baptist Hospital, "to provide and advance excellent healthcare, embracing the healing presence of God," reflects our distinctive heritage of extending the healing ministry of Jesus Christ. Since 1923 we have been privileged and grateful to be partners in mission with North Carolina Baptists, touching the lives of hurting people with great hope and strengthening the ministries of churches.

THE MOTHER'S DAY OFFERING: PARTNERS IN BENEVOLENT CARE

Real Needs...Real Hope...In the Name of Christ and His Love

Thank you, North Carolina Baptists, for giving compassionate witness to the love of Christ through the Mother's Day Offering! Every dollar of every gift ($584,958 in 2003) relieves the anxious burden of hospital bills for our patients in serious financial need. Having no where else to turn for help, they find Christ reaching to them through you. A recent recipient, suffering from life-threatening illness and worried sick about the burden of her hospital bill, received a letter that changed her life. The words of grace resounded, "Your hospital bill has been paid by compassionate and mission-minded North Carolina Baptists in the name of Jesus Christ and His love." With deep thankfulness she replied, "I greatly appreciate the love of God that North Carolina Baptists have shared with me. This gift in the name of Jesus Christ has lifted a heavy burden, and I could never say thank you enough. God bless those who give for their compassion." The needs of many patients far exceed the resources available to help them. Please give generously so more can be helped in the name of Christ's love.

THE SCHOOL OF PASTORAL CARE: PARTNERS IN MINISTRIES OF GROWTH, HOPE, AND HEALING

North Carolina Baptists, by Cooperative Missions Giving, provide healing ministry to thousands of hurting people, strengthen the effectiveness of hundreds of churches, and equip scores of ministers for service through the School of Pastoral Care.

Baptist Hospital's CareNet Counseling Centers provide a statewide, faith-based counseling network that extends the ministry of churches. Pastors are the largest single referral source, and members of Baptist churches are the largest group being served. Through 22 locations we will provide nearly 23,000 hours of pastoral counseling in 2004. Thanks to Cooperative Missions Giving, counseling that shares Christ's compassion and hope is made affordable and subsidized for those who need assistance.

The Center for Congregational Health, with the support of North Carolina Baptists, provides three vital ministries that enhance the effectiveness of churches. The Center is strengthening 25 churches per month through consultation services, assisting churches with strategic planning, team development, and conflict resolution. Leadership development programs are training 20 ministers per month, strengthening these clergy for more effective service. The Center has trained nearly 1,400 pastors as interim ministers and intentional interim specialists.

North Carolina Baptist Hospital 2004 Report to the Associations "Touching Lives With Hope"

The Department of Chaplaincy and Pastoral Education provides training in pastoral ministry to nearly 55 students per year, and extends compassionate spiritual care to patients and families through 60,000 ministry contacts. Our North Carolina Baptist partners, through Cooperative Missions Giving, allow tuition to be affordable for these ministers. Our churches reap the benefits, as pastors learn to provide high quality pastoral care in times of crises, deepen their own faith, and enhance their evangelism.

ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS AT NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOSPITAL

Caring for Ministers and Their Families

- N.C. Baptist ministers and their families receive a subsidy of up to 25% on their hospital bills at Baptist Hospital, a helping hand that brings tremendous relief and gratitude. It is made possible by the Hospital's W.K. McGee Patient Service Fund, with support from the Mother's Day Offering as needed. An average of $60,369 per year has been provided during the last five years.
- Our CareNet Counseling Centers, in partnership with the Baptist State Convention, provide the Ministers' Care Plan to full-time, ordained ministers serving N.C. Baptist churches, and their immediate families. Confidential pastoral counseling is made available for $20 per session at a CareNet center, with the BSC and CareNet covering the remainder of the cost. Please call Rev. Paul Mullen, Director of Church and Community Relations, for more information (336-716-3027). National Rankings Reflect Commitment to Excellence
- We are consistently rated among the nation's top 50 hospitals by U.S. News and World Report.
- We are one of America's top 15 major teaching hospitals, according to the Solucient Top 100 Hospitals. This listing is one of the nation's most comprehensive ratings of hospitals.
- We are one of America's Top Cardiac Centers for Women (Good Housekeeping, 2004).
- We have been ranked as one of America's top cancer centers since 1996 by U.S. News and World Report. Our Outpatient Comprehensive Cancer Center, one of the nation's most advanced treatment centers, opened in the summer 2004.
- We are in the top one percent in patient satisfaction among our peers in the United States, according to Press Ganey, one of the healthcare industry's leading patient satisfaction measurement firms.

Information and Appointments

To make an appointment for yourself or a family member with a physician, or to receive information on health related issues, please contact HEALTH-ON-CALL at 800-446-2255 or 336-716-2255.

CLOSING WORDS FROM THE PRESIDENT

The compassionate, healing ministry of Christ continues to be realized in remarkable ways at North Carolina Baptist Hospital. We are profoundly thankful for the privilege of serving Christ by serving others through these ministries of growth, hope, and healing. We are deeply grateful to North Carolina Baptists for being our partners in ministry, and pray that God's love will continue to shine rays of healing hope through our common mission.

Respectfully submitted,
Len B. Preslar, Jr.
President
North Carolina Baptist Hospital

"Touching Lives with Hope"

Council on Christian Higher Education
Baptist State Convention of North Carolina
2004

GREAT WORKS STAND THE TEST OF TIME

The classics. They are the books that are required reading in classrooms around the world. They are the masterpieces that hang in Louvre and other great museums. They are the compositions from Beethoven, Bach, Mozart, Strauss and countless others that are taught and studied and appreciated generation after generation.

What makes them classics? What makes them stand the test of time? Put simply, these works were developed by people who took painstaking care with their craft. Attention was paid to every individual detail as if the very life of the work itself depended on it. Love and devotion and skill were combined with each vision to produce an explosion of creativity and unique expression.

If these explanations truly define the classics and the great works, then the Baptist colleges of North Carolina belong in that very category. Five institutions that define the spirit and commitment of North Carolina Baptists draw their very essence from the North Carolina Baptist State Convention, an institution that was created in part to fulfill the mission of Christian higher education in this state.

Begun in 1830, the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina has stood the test of time. Using the same qualities as the great composers, artists and authors from throughout the centuries, the Baptist State Convention has poured love and devotion and care into the pursuit of offering only the finest in college education.

Campbell University, Chowan College, Gardner-Webb University, Mars Hill College and Wingate University are the five institutions affiliated with the convention. Why is that important? Because heritage and history make for strong foundations. With the support received from the convention through scholarships, resources, prayer, encouragement and leadership, these institutions grow stronger each year in reputation, prestige, character, quality and respect.

Gifts to the Cooperative Missions Budget of the Baptist State Convention of NC last year made it possible for 499 members from 316 convention related churches to attend our five affiliated institutions of higher education. Some of the recipients would not have been able to pursue their dream of a degree from an accredited college or university without the financial assistance provided by generous Baptists like you.

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2004 ANNUAL REPORT

The Christian Action League of North Carolina, Inc. continues to work vigorously to address public policy and legislative matters from a Christian worldview. Our purpose is to assist the church in its mission to fulfill the Cultural Mandate. It is a joy to serve in this capacity. This following report contains highlights from this year's efforts.

Promotion of Christian Values

- This year the North Carolina General Assembly passed a bill to allow the National Motto, "In God We Trust," and a yellow ribbon with the phrase, "Support Our Troops", on a specialty license plate. Revenues garnered from the plates will aide families of deployed North Carolina National Guard troops. The Christian Action League is pledged to helping launch the new plates by getting the first 300 persons to make application. The plates can't be issued until at least 300 persons have requested them. Pastors, key Lay Leaders, Christian groups and others are encouraged to pass along the word. Rev. Mark H. Creech, Executive Director of the CAL, has said: "Let's witness to our faith in God and show our support for our troops in Iraq by signing up for these new specialty plates." For an application for these license plates simply go to: http://www.nc.ngb.army.mil/inGodwetrust.asp

- This year the Christian Action League will host a new website *North Carolina Candidates Forum: A Service of the Christian Action League of North Carolina* at www.nccandidatesforum.com. The website will list all of North Carolina's candidates for U.S. Senate and House of Representatives, N.C. State offices, N.C. Senate and House of Representatives, plus N.C. judiciary. It's objective will be to post the responses of these candidates to a questionnaire sent by CAL that expresses the candidates' position on abortion, homosexuality, separation of church and state, gambling, pornography/obscenity, education, capital punishment, alcohol policy, and the war on Iraq. The information posted on this website should be an invaluable resource for Christians who desire to vote their Christian worldview.

- CAL has helped several communities battle evil influences in their midst. One such effort has been to help concerned citizens in Orange County turn back a domestic partners benefit package for county employees. This project is currently on the ground level. Another situation where CAL had a powerful influence was when the Roanoke Rapids School Board considered whether to send a resolution to the North Carolina General Assembly that would have endorsed a lottery for education. Because CAL was able to mobilize a massive grassroots effort in Roanoke Rapids, the resolution was defeated. Residents of Cleveland, North Carolina, have expressed their deep appreciation for CAL's help in keeping a proposed Liquor store out of their area, even though the approval of a previously held local option election allowed for it. CAL has also sought to help Watauga County Commissioners in overturning an unconstitutional alcohol bill which was approved by the General Assembly last session and allows for alcohol permits in an area of that county where voters have clearly stated by local option elections they do not want alcohol sales.

- CAL continues to provide critical information regarding public policy and legislative issues via it's interactive website www.christianactionleague.net. The website keeps the church abreast of the latest developments in the U.S. Congress and the North Carolina General Assembly. It also includes weekly editorials by CAL's Executive Director, Rev. Mark H. Creech, guest commentaries from some of the best Christian columnists in North Carolina, a daily national Christian newswire, feature stories of Christians making a difference, and other various Christian resources. Since June of 2003, CAL has had nearly 17,500 hits on its website. Over 12,000 of those hits were first time visitors to the site.

- CAL continues to promote and distribute copies of the *Ten Commandments* across North Carolina. Nearly 20,000 have been distributed statewide. CAL has just created a new print of the Ten Commandments and the very first edition of God's Covenant With America; which are now ready for distribution. *God's Covenant With America* features an American paraphrase of Deuteronomy 8:7-20 written by CAL's Director. The new *Ten Commandments* print and *God's Covenant with America* can be purchased separately or together, simply as a print, or framed. Both can be beautifully displayed in a church, home or business. Those interested in purchasing either one or both of these prints should call CAL at 919.787.0606. You can also email CAL at calact@aol.com.

- CAL continues to publish a weekly email "Issues Alert" that keeps approximately 2000 people on the frontlines of Christian activism. The weekly email Issues Alert is designed not only to inform, but also to stir God's people to take action via legislative contacts, etc. Those interested in receiving the weekly email Issues Alert should go to CAL's website at www.christianactionleague.net and click on " Sign Up To Be A Beacon of Light."

- The writing ministry of CAL's Executive Director has reached national prominence. Rev. Mark H. Creech's column, *The Right Frame of Mind*, appears weekly on the National Christian newswire of the American Family Association, www.agapepress.org, former Ambassador and Presidential candidate Alan Keyes' website, www.renrewamerica.us, three North Carolina newspapers and numerous Christian periodicals and websites across the country.

- Because Pornography has become a pervasive problem in the church as well as society, the Christian Action League offers a Seminar to help pastors deal with its influence. The seminar, *The Pastor and Pornography,* was held for a second time in Lexington for the North Carolina Sheriff Chaplain's Association. Associational Pastors' Conferences or other groups interested in having the two-hour seminar should contact CAL at 919.787.0606. You can also email CAL at calact@aol.com.

- This year Christian values have been advocated by CAL's Executive Director on a wide variety of issues taken up on radio and television interviews, both local and outside of North Carolina. Rev. Mark Creech has spoken in numerous worship services, revival meetings, rallies, associational meetings, legislative chapel services, press conferences, conventions, and seminars. He is highly sought after as a speaker.

Lobbying Activities

- This year a House Select Committee met twice to consider revisions and a possible overhaul to North Carolina's ABC policies. Several speakers spoke before the Committee and each advocated that special provisions to allow for alcohol sales without alcohol elections had significantly complicated North Carolina's alcohol control policies. One suggestion put forth by Rep. Ronnie Sutton (D-Robeson) for correcting the problem was to revise current local option policy from on opt-in system to an opt-out system that could be implemented by County commissioners. CAL's Executive Director, Rev. Mark Creech briefly spoke before the Committee, advocating it was the North Carolina General Assembly that had complicated North Carolina's current alcohol policy. He said these

problems were created because lawmakers failed to show respect for the will of the people in local option elections. He said problems were created in the system because of an elitist group of people, specifically lawmakers in Raleigh. Enacting Rep. Sutton's legislation, said Creech, would simply turn the matter over to another elitist group of people. "The question of whether or how alcohol sales are carried out in this State," said Rev Creech, "is best left to the people." The Committee took no action this year. Nevertheless, there are still concerns that next year an effort will be made to either do away with local option or privatize liquor sales.

- The Christian Action League worked tirelessly during the last session of the State Legislature to get lawmakers to approve legislation that would provide for a Constitutional amendment to North Carolina's Constitution banning same sex marriage. Two measures to this end were introduced – one in the House and one in the Senate. Nevertheless, the Democratic leadership in both the House and Senate blocked these bills from being heard. Before the session ended, pressure was so intense to get the Senate bill on a Constitutional amendment out of Committee, that a discharge petition was circulated among Senate members. A discharge petition, which must be signed by at least 3/5ths of Senate members (translates into 30 signatures), would have recalled the legislation out of Committee, taken it away from the Democratic Senate leadership, and placed it directly on the Senate floor for consideration. Unfortunately, the petition fell two signatures short of the 3/5ths requirement - (a total of 28). This matter continues to be a priority with CAL. Without a State Constitutional Amendment clarifying marriage is between one man and one woman, North Carolina is vulnerable to litigation by gay activists and rogue judges that could knock down our State's current prohibitions against same sex marriage.

- CAL has also been at the forefront of a push for a Federal Marriage Amendment to the U.S. Constitution by North Carolinians.

- This year CAL continued its opposition to a two-year moratorium on executions while officials study the application of the death penalty. The N.C. Senate passed the legislation for the moratorium in 2003. The N.C. House failed to take up the measure in the General Assembly's last session, making it necessary for moratorium proponents to have to reintroduce it in both chambers next year. CAL's position is that the moratorium is a disingenuous effort by Death-penalty opponents to abolish capital punishment in North Carolina. With all the pretrial, trial, appeals, writ and clemency procedures to minimize the chance of an innocent person being convicted, sentenced to death and executed today, there isn't enough compelling evidence to warrant a death penalty moratorium. And the religious opposition to the death penalty isn't really based on our nation's rich Judeo-Christian heritage, but on the vague philosophical notion that the taking of human life is wrong in every circumstance -- a philosophy that fails to distinguish adequately between killing and murder, punishment and crime.

- In 2004, CAL vigorously lobbied for a ban on video poker. Legislation that was approved by the Senate in the 2003 session was eligible, but the Democratic leadership in the North Carolina House would not allow the legislation to be heard in that chamber.

- CAL is currently seeking to mobilize North Carolinians to put pressure on North Carolina's U.S. Congressional delegation to approve a tobacco buy out for North Carolina tobacco farmers that would include giving the Food and Drug Administration authority to regulate tobacco products. CAL contends that it is incredible that the FDA can ensure the safety of every day items like macaroni and cheese, but has no authority over tobacco, a product that kills nearly a half million people in America every year.

- It is also no small accomplishment that CAL, working closely with other public policy organizations from both a conservative and liberal perspective, were able to turn back the Governor's pro-lottery forces for a fourth year in a row.

Local Option Alcohol Referenda

- In 2004 CAL assisted with seven local option alcohol referendums. The results of those referendums included: 4 victories (referendums did not succeed) and 3 losses (referendums succeeded).

For a Better North Carolina,

Reverend Mark H. Creech
Executive Director

Reverend Coy Privette
President

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Pursuant to §55A-2-02 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, the undersigned corporation does hereby submit these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a nonprofit corporation.

ARTICLE I
NAME

The name of the corporation is LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

ARTICLE II
DESIGNATION

The corporation is a charitable or religious corporation within the meaning of N.C.G.S. §55A-1-40(4).

ARTICLE III
REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of the corporation is Route 8, Box 610, Bud Kanoy Road, Thomasville, Davidson County, North Carolina, 27360-7839, and the initial registered agent at that office is *Dr.* Richard H. Capps, Director of Missions.

ARTICLE IV
INCORPORATORS

The names and addresses of the incorporators, acting as representatives of the members of Liberty Baptist Association are as follows:

Moderator: J. Stuart White, 5694 E. Holly Grove Road, Thomasville NC 27360
Vice Moderator: Robert W. Cook, 485 Jr. Order Home Road, Lexington NC 27292
Clerk: Gail S. Beck, 361 Light Road, Thomasville NC 27360
Treasurer: Raleigh F. York, Jr., 22 Forest Drive, Thomasville NC 27360

ARTICLE V
MEMBERS

The corporation shall have one class of members as provided in the bylaws. Members shall be received, rejected, or withdrawn as set forth in the bylaws. The Baptist churches which are members of Liberty Baptist Association immediately prior to the incorporation thereof automatically shall become members of the corporation.

ARTICLE VI
DISSOLUTION

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the board of directors shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for religious purposes as shall qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue law) as the board of directors shall determine. Any such assets not disposed of shall be disposed of by the District Court of the County in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

ARTICLE VII
PURPOSE

The purposes for which the corporation is organized are:

A. to assist the churches of Liberty Baptist Association in their divinely appointed mission and in cooperative relationships with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, the Southern Baptist Convention, and other Baptist entities to promote and provide opportunities for individual and collective participation in missions, evangelism, ministry, education, social services, and distribution of the Bible;

B. to engage in any lawful act or activities for which corporations may be organized under N.C. General Statutes Chapter 55A;

C. to engage in any lawful activity within the purposes for which the corporation may be organized which is incidental to and in furtherance of the exempt purposes of the corporation;

D. to operate exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and recreational purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE VIII
INITIAL DIRECTORS

The number of initial directors shall be One Hundred and Thirty-Four (134), and the initial directors shall be the duly-elected representatives from each member church of Liberty Baptist Association.

ARTICLE IX
GOVERNMENT

A. The government of this corporation is vested in its members who are represented in the manner set out in its bylaws. The members retain the right of self-government in all phases of the spiritual and temporal life of the association.

B. Churches received as members of this corporation as set out in the bylaws shall constitute the membership ("the members"). The members shall be represented by messengers as provided in the bylaws and shall have the sole authority to adopt and amend the charter and bylaws, approve budgets, receive and discharge members, govern and conduct the affairs of this corporation.

C. All internal groups, committees, directors, officers, agents, and/or employees created and empowered by the association ultimately shall report to and be accountable to the members and shall have such powers and duties as set out in the bylaws.

D. This association is autonomous and independent and is a sovereign and democratic association of Baptist churches under the Lordship of Jesus Christ. As such, the association is subject to the control of no other ecclesiastical body and does not claim and will never attempt to exercise any authority over any member church, auxiliary organization, or other Baptist body.

ARTICLE X
ELECTION AS 501(c)(3) CORPORATION

No part of the net earnings or receipts of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes as set forth in these Articles of Incorporation.

No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), or (b) by a corporations, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE XI
PERSONAL LIABILITY

Personal liability for all directors for monetary damages arising out of an action or actions, whether by or in the right of the corporation or otherwise for breach of any duty as a director is eliminated except with respect to acts, omissions, liabilities and/or transactions described and defined in North Carolina General Statutes §55A-2-02 (b),(4)(i),(ii),(iii), and (iv).

ARTICLE XII
EFFECTIVE DATE

These articles will be effective upon filing.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands, this the 21st day of November, 1994.

J. Stuart White
Robert W. Cook
Gail S. Beck
Raleigh F. York, Jr.

BYLAWS OF LIBERTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

ARTICLE I
NAME AND LOCATION

A. The corporate name of this nonprofit corporation shall be "Liberty Baptist Association" The principal and registered office of the Corporation shall be at 259 Bud Kanoy Road, Thomasville, 27360-0810, Davidson County, North Carolina.

B. All reference to "Association" or "Corporation" in the Articles of Incorporation, in the Bylaws, in Amendments, or other official action of the Association, shall signify the legal organization of Liberty Baptist Association as established in the Articles of Incorporation. Liberty Baptist Association as it has existed heretofore, for all legal and administrative purposes fully is incorporated into Liberty Baptist Association, a nonprofit corporation. References to votes of the membership shall have reference to a vote of the members of this Association as prescribed in Article VII F of these Bylaws.

ARTICLE II
PURPOSE

The purposes for which the Corporation is organized are:

A. to assist the churches of Liberty Baptist Association in their divinely appointed mission and in cooperative relationships with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, the Southern Baptist Convention, and other Baptist entities to promote and provide opportunities for individual and collective participation in missions, evangelism, ministry, education, social services, and distribution of the Bible;

B. to engage in any lawful act or activities for which corporations may be organized under N.C. General Statutes Chapter 55A;

C. to engage in any lawful activity within the purposes for which the Corporation may be organized which is incidental to and in furtherance of the exempt purposes of the Corporation;

D. to operate exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and recreational purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE III
ELECTION AS A 501(C)(3) CORPORATION

A. The Corporation is organized exclusively for charitable, religious, educational, and recreational purposes, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue law).

B. No part of the net earnings or receipts of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except to pay

reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes as set forth in the Articles.

C. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the Corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (or the corresponding provision of any future U.S. Internal Revenue Law) or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future U.S. Internal Revenue Law).

ARTICLE IV
GOVERNMENT

A. The government of this Association is vested in its members who are represented in the manner set out in its Bylaws. The members retain the right of self-government in all phases of the spiritual and temporal life of the association.

B. Churches received as members of this Association, as herein provided, shall constitute the membership ("the members"). The members shall be represented by messengers duly elected by each member church and certified to the Association in its Annual Church Profile (Church Letter), and the number of messengers shall be determined as follows:

a. Six messengers from each church for its first one hundred members or fraction thereof;

b. One additional messenger from each church for each additional fifty members or fraction thereof above 100 and up to 1,000 members;

c. One additional messenger from each church for each additional one hundred members or major fraction thereof above 1,000 members;

The members represented by messengers as aforesaid shall have the sole authority to adopt and amend the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws, approve budgets, receive and discharge members, govern and conduct the affairs of this Corporation. In the event of death or resignation of a messenger, the member shall elect a successor messenger to fill the vacancy. The name of the messenger being replaced and the elected successor shall be furnished to the Clerk of the Association, in writing, and shall be presented at the next regular meeting of the Association.

C. All internal groups, committees, directors, officers, agents, and/or employees created and empowered by the Association ultimately shall report to and be accountable to the Association and shall have such powers and duties as hereinafter set out.

D. This Association is autonomous and independent and is a sovereign and democratic association of Baptist churches under the Lordship of Jesus Christ. As such, the Association is subject to the control of no other ecclesiastical body and does not claim and will never attempt to exercise any authority over any member church, auxiliary organization, or other Baptist body.

ARTICLE V
PROPERTY

A. The title to all property shall be in the Association.

B. The securing and maintaining of real, personal, and mixed property by this association shall be for the express purpose of providing facilities for and the engagement upon the missionary, educational, and benevolent interests of this association as historically have been espoused and practiced thereby and as are expressed in its charter and bylaws, which practices and documents are deemed the standard for uses and practices upon and with regard to such property.

C. Real property shall not be mortgaged, conveyed, transferred, or encumbered without the affirmative vote of three-fourths of the "Individuals entitled to vote," as hereinafter defined in Article VII, G., at an annual meeting or a regular meeting duly called for such purpose and stated in the meeting notice.

D. This article shall not be amended, altered, or repealed except by a three fourths vote of the "Individuals entitled to vote," as hereinafter defined in Article VII, G., at an annual or regular meeting duly called and then only in the event that such proposed amendment, alteration, or repeal has been given in writing to the Moderator and Executive Board and has lain on the table for a period of twelve months, and no article shall be voted upon until the period aforementioned has elapsed, any other provisions herein to the contrary notwithstanding.

ARTICLE VI
MEMBERS

A. Record of Members: The members of this Association shall be composed of the Baptist churches who are members of Liberty Baptist Association on the date these Bylaws are adopted. The Clerk shall attach hereto a list of such present members which shall remain a part of the official records of the Association maintained at all times in the office of the Association. A current list of members shall be maintained at all times in the office of the Association.

B. Organization of New Work Missions/Churches: The Association by its nature and definition is an organization whose primary purpose is missions. In furtherance of these functions, the Association will attempt to develop and foster new work missions/churches and will remain available and will be resourceful in assisting groups or churches in their own development respectively of and as Baptist churches. The Association is mindful and responsive to the autonomous nature of the structure of its members and desires to inculcate in watch-care groups and churches their own independence while utilizing, without compulsion, the well-intended and well-respected practices of existing Baptist churches in historical Baptist precedence, all of which can be helpful during the organizational phases. To those ends and to effect these purposes, the Association will consider, promulgate, and maintain suggested guidelines for establishing and assisting new work missions/churches in their efforts. These guidelines shall be developed by the Missions Development Committee and approved by the Association. At such time as a group comes under watch care of the Association, a sponsoring church (member of the Association) shall be recommended by the Missions Development Committee in consultation with the Director of Missions and actively shall support such mission/church with any resource assistance required. The sponsoring church will work in cooperation with the Missions Development Committee and a Liaison Committee shall be formulated and shall be comprised of the following: Two persons from the sponsoring church; Two persons from the new mission/church; One person from the Missions Development Committee; and, Ex-officio, the Mission Pastor, Sponsoring Church Pastor, and Director of missions.

The Liaison Committee shall meet monthly and no less than bi-monthly during the formation period of the mission/church and shall assist in every reasonable manner with the development of the mission/church on behalf of the Association. In the event a sponsoring church cannot be secured, the Missions Development Committee shall be responsible for the sponsoring thereof on behalf of the Association. The mission/church shall remain under watch care of the Association until such mission/church is ready to constitute a self-supporting church and has fulfilled watch-care requirements.

C. Admission of New Churches: Any church seeking admission to the membership of the Association shall petition the Association in writing at least three months prior to the annual meeting of the Association. Such petition shall be referred to the Missions Development Committee for its study of the petitioning church's covenant, articles of faith, history, practices, cooperative spirit, its relations to other churches of the Association, and its willingness to abide by the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of the Association. A written report setting out its findings and recommendations for action at the next annual meeting of the Association shall be submitted by the Missions Development Committee to the Executive Board and the Association. Final approval for membership shall be contingent upon a one-year period under a watch-care relationship after which determination will be made by a three-fourths vote of "Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in VII, G., in annual meeting.

D. Privileges of Membership: Members through their messengers ("Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in Article VII, G.), and members through their messengers ("Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in Article VII, G.,) only, are entitled to vote in all elections and all questions submitted to the Association. Recognizing the value of voluntary association among churches of like faith and practice, members are afforded opportunity to work in mutual, cooperative fellowship with other churches, especially those of Baptist faith, to advance the gospel of Christ, to promote Christian principles of justice and righteousness in personal, social, and community life, to promote the spiritual welfare of all persons, to disseminate the work of God to the people of all nations through evangelistic, educational, and charitable missions.

E. Requirements of Membership: All members reasonably are required to submit a completed Annual Church Profile (Church Letter) to the Annual Meeting; send messengers to the annual meeting; and, contribute to the financial program of the Association. Only members of the Association shall determine whether member churches have fulfilled requirements for membership.

F. Termination of Membership: The membership status of any member shall be terminated by written request of the member seeking termination addressed to the Association. Failure reasonably to meet requirements of membership as set out in paragraph E above for a period of two consecutive years after contact by the Missions Development Committee to ascertain the desire of the member church shall subject any member church to termination. No member may be expelled or suspended, and no membership may be terminated or suspended, except in a manner that is fair and reasonable and is carried out in good faith, and in compliance with the following procedures:

1. The Executive Board, by a three-fourths (3/4) vote of members present at a special meeting, duly called, must recommend termination of the subject member church.
2. Such recommendation, in writing, must be mailed to the subject member church and each member church sixty (60) days in advance of a special meeting of members.
3. The subject church shall have full and ample opportunity to present its position at such meeting.
4. Termination of membership shall occur only upon a three-fourths (3/4) vote of individuals entitled to vote.

G. Watch-care Affiliation: Watch-care affiliation for a period of one year shall be required for each church applying for membership in the Association. Each church under watch-care affiliation shall submit a quarterly report and an Annual Church Profile (Church Letter) to the Association.

ARTICLE VII
MEETINGS OF MEMBERS

A. Annual Meeting: The annual meeting of the Association shall be held on Monday following the first Sunday in October for the following purposes: to elect officers of the Association, standing committees, and special committees; to receive annual reports; to approve budgets; to conduct any other business matters which properly may come before the annual meeting; and, to share in worship and fellowship.

B. Regular Meetings: Regular meetings shall be held in January, April, and July to receive reports, to conduct business matters which properly come before the meeting, and to share in worship and fellowship.

C. Special Meetings: Special meetings for the transaction of business may be called by the Executive Board provided sufficient notice is given members to allow for two Sundays between the call and the meeting.

D. Emergencies: In emergencies, any change in the time and/or place of meetings shall be determined by a vote of two-thirds of the Executive Board present when the vote is taken.

E. Presiding Officer: The Moderator shall preside at all meetings of members. In the absence of the Moderator, the Vice Moderator shall preside. In the absence of the Moderator and Vice Moderator, the Clerk shall preside. In the absence of the aforementioned officers, the Treasurer shall preside. In the absence of all officers, the body may elect an acting moderator.

F. Quorum: Seventy-five (75) "Individuals entitled to vote," as hereinafter defined in Article VII, G., shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at any annual or special meeting of members.

G. Voting: Messengers who have been duly elected by a member, have been certified in its annual report to the Association, and are duly registered and present shall be collectively referred to as "Individuals entitled to vote" and shall be entitled to one vote at any meeting of members. No proxy or absentee voting shall be permitted. All voting shall be by show of hands, standing vote or voice vote except when there are contested matters in which case the vote shall be by ballot. Parliamentary procedure utilizing Robert's Rules of Order shall be followed.

ARTICLE VIII
EXECUTIVE BOARD

A. Board of Directors: All reference to "Executive Board" or "Board of Directors" in the Articles of Incorporation, in the Bylaws, in Amendments, or other official action of the Association shall be synonymous with and shall include conferring of powers as are provided by the Articles of Incorporation, Bylaws, and the North Carolina Nonprofit Corporation Act.

B. Membership: The Executive Board membership shall consist of the following:
   1. Officers duly elected by the Association, to-wit: Moderator, Vice Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer.
   2. Standing Committee Chairpersons, Special Standing Committee Chairpersons, and Representatives, Director and Team Leaders as named in Article XI A and XI B.

C. Officers: The officers of the Executive Board shall be the same persons elected by the Association as Moderator (President), Vice Moderator (Vice President), Clerk (Secretary), and Treasurer.

D. Meetings: Regular meetings of the Executive Board shall be held at least quarterly. The first meeting, which shall be designated as the annual meeting, shall be held as soon as possible after the annual meeting of the Association, and the last meeting shall be held as nearly as possible to the next annual meeting of the Association for approval/endorsement of various Reports of the Association for the annual meeting.
Special meetings may be called by the Moderator whenever the need arises and the Moderator shall call a special meeting when requested in writing by ten (10) members of the Executive Board.

E. Quorum: Eighteen (18) members of the Executive Board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

F. Duties: Except as restricted by the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws or other official action of the Association, the Executive Board shall manage the general business and activities of the Association between meetings of members; and shall call special meetings of the Association. Executive Board shall plan and correlate the activities of the Association and make recommendations to the Association. The Executive Board shall present a written report of action taken to the Association at its next regular or annual meeting for ratification and approval of action so taken between meetings.

G. Contracts: As instructed and authorized by the Association, the Executive Board may authorize officers to enter into contracts or execute and deliver instruments on behalf of the Association, and such authority may be general or confined to specific instances subject only to limitations provided herein.

H. Loans: No loans shall be contracted on behalf of the Association and no evidence of indebtedness shall be issued in its name unless authorized by a resolution of the Executive Board pursuant to specific authority of the Association. Such authority may be general or confined to specific instances.

I. Depository: The Executive Board shall have the power to (a) select one or more banks to act as depositories of the funds of the Association; (b) determine the manner of receiving, depositing, and disbursing the funds of the Association; (c) designate the person or persons authorized to draw on the bank accounts of the Association; (d) approve the form of checks to

be used in drawing on such bank accounts; and, (e) change such banks, the person or persons drawing on such accounts, and the form of checks at will.

J. Removal: Board members, as well as officers of the Association, may be removed by majority vote of the Association at a properly called business meeting, with written notice to members setting out the specific purpose of the meeting.

K. Death, Resignation or Termination: In the event a Board member shall expire, resign, or for any reason be removed from the Executive Board, the Association shall fill the vacancy for the unexpired term.

ARTICLE IX
OFFICERS

A. Officers Generally: There shall be a Moderator who shall also serve as Moderator and Chairman of the Executive Board and President of the Corporation. There shall be a Vice Moderator who shall also serve as Vice Moderator of the Executive Board and Vice President of the Corporation. There shall be a Clerk who shall also serve as Clerk of the Executive Board and Secretary of the Corporation. There shall be a Treasurer who shall also serve as Treasurer of the Association and of the Corporation. Whenever used in the Articles of Incorporation, in the Bylaws, in Amendments, or in other official action of the Association, the words "Moderator or "President;" "Vice Moderator" or "Vice President;" or "Clerk" or "Secretary" shall be synonymous.

B. Moderator:

1. Election and Term: The Moderator shall be elected annually at the annual meeting of the Association for a term of one year and may be re-elected for a one-year term. The Moderator shall be ineligible for re-election as Moderator for a period of two years after having served two one-year terms. The term of office shall begin at the close of the annual meeting and shall continue through the close of the next annual meeting or until a successor is elected.

2. Duties: The Moderator shall

a. preside at the annual meeting, regular meetings, and any special meeting of the Association;
b. serve as President of the Corporation;
c. preside at all meetings of the Executive Board;
d. perform such other duties as are specifically prescribed in these Bylaws and as may be delegated by the Association;
e. serve with other officers to recommend a Committee on Nominations to the Association for election at its July meeting;
f. appoint other committees when so directed by the Association or Executive Board; and
g. serve as ex officio member of all committees except the Committee on Nominations.

C. Vice Moderator

1. Election and Term: The Vice Moderator shall be elected annually at the annual meeting for a term of one year and may be re-elected for a one-year term. The Vice Moderator shall be ineligible for re-election as Vice Moderator for a period of two years after having served two one-year terms. The term of office shall begin at the close of the annual meeting in which such election is held and shall continue through the close of the next annual meeting or until his successor is elected.

2. Duties: The Vice Moderator shall

a. preside at meetings of the Association and Executive Board in the absence of the Moderator or at the pleasure of the Moderator;
b. serve as Vice President of the Corporation;
c. serve with other officers to recommend a Committee on Nominations to the Association for election at its July meeting; and
d. perform such other duties as may be specifically prescribed in these Bylaws and as may be delegated by the members.

D. Clerk

1. Election and Term: The Clerk shall be elected annually at the annual meeting for a term of one year.

2. Duties: The Clerk shall

a. serve as Secretary of the Corporation and of the Executive Board;

b. maintain at all times a current list of members of the Association;

c. maintain and preserve the files, records, and documents of the Association in proper order at all times for examination by the Executive Board;

d. send report forms to members at least one month before the annual meeting of the Association;

e. prepare a composite record of the member information included in the annual report submitted to the Association and distribute copies thereof at the annual meeting;

f. supervise the printing of minutes of the Association and distribute to the members as soon as possible after the annual meeting;

g. preserve the files, records, and documents of the Association and, upon election of a successor, relinquish such files, records, documents, and other property belonging to the Association and in the possession and control of the Clerk to the duly elected successor; and

h. preside at meetings in the absence of the Moderator and Vice Moderator at the pleasure of the moderator.

E. Treasurer

1. Election and Term: The Treasurer shall be elected annually at the annual meeting for a term of one year.

2. Duties: The Treasurer shall

a. serve as Treasurer of the Corporation;

b. have custody of all funds of the Association;

c. maintain at all times up-to-date, orderly records of all receipts and disbursements;

d. disburse funds by check in accordance with the budget and direction of the Association or Executive Board;

e. prepare quarterly financial reports and distribute copies to the Finance Committee and the Executive Board;

f. prepare a financial report and distribute copies at the annual meeting;

g. serve as a member of the Finance Committee;

h. cooperate with the firm making the annual audit; and

i. serve with other officers to recommend a Committee on Nominations to the Association for election at its July meeting.

j. preside at meetings in the absence of the Moderator, Vice Moderator and Clerk at the pleasure of the moderator.

F. Assistant Treasurer

1. Election and Term: The Assistant Treasurer shall be elected annually at the annual meeting for a term of one year.

2. Duties: The Assistant Treasurer shall, during periods of incapacity or absence of the Treasurer, perform the duties assigned to the Treasurer in paragraph E. 2 as required and shall assist the Treasurer as directed and required by the Treasurer.

ARTICLE X
STAFF

A. Staff Positions: The staff of the Association shall be composed of the Associational Missionary, Office Manager, and such other persons who shall fill staff positions as may be created by the Association. The Personnel Committee shall make recommendation for the creation of any staff position. A current list of staff positions shall be maintained by the Personnel Committee. A job description for each staff position shall be prepared and shall be revised periodically by the Personnel Committee, approved by the Executive Board, and furnished to all candidates considered for the position and the person filling the position. Staff positions may be combined

from time to time at the discretion of the Personnel Committee and the Executive Board and the combined position held by one person.

B. Election/Employment: Except in the case of the Associational Missionary, the staff members from time to time shall be employed for indeterminate terms by the Association or Executive Board at a regular meeting upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

C. Termination: With the exception of the Associational Missionary, termination of the relationship between a staff member and the Association shall occur within a reasonable and announced period after written notice of termination delivered to the staff member on behalf of the Association and to the Personnel Committee and the Executive Board on behalf of the staff member. Termination of the staff member by the Association shall be initiated and acted upon by the Executive Board upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

D. Vacation and Leave: Requirements for vacation and leaves, record-keeping, expense reimbursement, work schedules, and other employment matters shall be outlined in the Policy Manual and Benefit Plans. Such manual shall be prepared, reviewed, monitored, and amended from time to time by recommendation of the Personnel Committee to the Executive Board; and the staff shall be subject to the provisions thereof from time to time; provided, nothing therein contained shall be interpreted to be in derivation or in violation of the provisions of the Bylaws, and such Policy Manual and Benefit Plans must remain consistent with the purposes and intent requirements thereof.

E. Associational Missionary

1. Search Committee Procedure: When a vacancy occurs in the position of Associational Missionary or the Associational Missionary furnishes notice of intent to vacate the position, a Search Committee composed of the officers of the Association and five members of the Missions Development Committee elected by the Association shall meet as soon as possible, determine their procedure, establish a profile, prepare application forms and reference questionnaires, and shall diligently seek to find an Associational Missionary who, by calling, training, and ability, is qualified spiritually, mentally, and physically to lead the work of the Association. The Moderator shall serve as Chairperson of the Search Committee. Members of the committee may be reimbursed by the Treasurer for any necessary and reasonable travel and subsistence expenses which are incurred in the performance of their duties. The candidate to be recommended by the Search Committee may be interviewed by the Missions Development Committee/Executive Board before presenting the candidate to the Association in annual meeting.

2. Election/Employment: When the Search Committee has selected a potential employee and is ready to make a report and recommendation to the Association, such recommendation shall be made to the Association at its next meeting. Upon a vote being taken, the Associational Missionary presented must receive at least three-fourths of all votes cast. If the Associational Missionary fails to receive the required three-fourths vote, the Moderator shall declare the nominee not elected/employed and shall refer the matter, without debate, to the Search Committee for further investigation and further recommendation under the foregoing procedure.

3. Duties: The Associational Missionary shall

a. fulfill all duties under the direction of the Personnel Committee and the Executive Board;

b. serve ex officio in a supervisory capacity on all committees of the Association unless otherwise provided in these Bylaws;

c. promote the work of the Association and denomination;

d. cooperate with members, their pastors, officers, and committees of the Association;

e. present oral reports to the Missions Development Committee, the Executive Board and Association meetings;

f. present a written report to the annual meeting of the Association;

g. assist the Clerk in preparation of the composite record of members from information submitted in their annual report to the Association;

h. assist the Clerk in preparing the annual minutes of the Association.

4. Termination: The Associational Missionary shall be employed for an indeterminate term. The Associational Missionary shall give reasonable notice of intent to resign or retire to the Personnel Committee and the Executive Board. The Associational Missionary may be removed by an affirmative vote of three-fourths of the "Individuals entitled to vote," as heretofore defined in Article VII, G., at a meeting properly called with ten days written notice to the Associational Missionary and written notice of the meeting to the members as required by the Bylaws.

5. Interim Associational Missionary: The Executive Board, in consultation with the Personnel Committee, shall be responsible for recommending to the Association the employment of an Interim Associational Missionary when the Association is without an Associational Missionary.

6. Extended Leave or Absence: During any extended leave or absence of the Associational Missionary for medical or other appropriate reasons and with advice of the Personnel Committee, the Executive Board shall make such necessary, temporary or emergency decisions as reasonably shall be required.

ARTICLE XI
COMMITTEES

A. Standing Committees:

Except as hereinafter provided, Standing Committees of the Association shall be as follows: Audit Committee, Building and Grounds Committee; Bylaws Committee; Ethnic Ministries Committee; Evangelism Committee; Finance Committee; Historical Committee; Memorials Committee; Meeting Program Committee; Missions Development Committee; Music Committee; Nominating Committee; Ordination Examining Committee; Pastoral Ministries Committee; Personnel Committee; Place and Preacher Committee; Resolutions Committee; Scholarship Committee; Senior Adult Committee; Sunday School Committee; Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee and Youth Ministries Committee shall have membership of not less than three persons and general responsibilities respectively as follows:

1. Audit Committee: The Audit Committee shall make an audit or review of the records and receipts of the Association on a regular basis. A report shall be made to the Finance Committee in writing as to findings, needed adjustments and suggestions. The committee will meet at least two times a year with the Treasurer as ex-officio member to review the quarterly updated finance reports and records. The annual audit report or review shall be completed by September 30 and presented in writing in the Book of Reports as part of the Finance Committee report. The Audit Committee shall have the option of recommending a review of the financial records or a complete audit of the financial records. The Audit Committee shall recommend to the appropriate Executive Board and Association meeting, prior to the Annual Session, whether a review or complete audit of the Financial Records is needed. The Audit Committee is responsible for doing the necessary research to answer any questions concerning Financial Records that may be raised by member churches, messengers, or Executive Board members within a reasonable period.
2. Building and Grounds Committee: The Building and Grounds Committee shall plan for adequate maintenance, repairs, alterations, improvement, and housekeeping of the physical properties of the Association; upon request of the Associational Missionary, assist in considering approval for special use of the facilities of the Association; and, prepare and submit an appropriate budget request for consideration and inclusion in the proposed budget.
3. Bylaws Committee: The Bylaws Committee shall consider requests for amendments, alterations, or revisions of the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws and shall make recommendations to the Association with respect thereto; and, periodically review and make recommendations for amendments, alterations, or revisions of the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws.

4. **Ethnic Ministries Committee: The Ethnic Ministries Committee will encourage cooperation among the churches to minister to the international groups in the area. This will involve various ministries including but not limited to: (1) computer opportunities; (2) medical/dental bus; (3) English as a second language; (4) literacy classes; (5) migrant ministries; (6) resource information for ethnic ministries (food banks, medical assistance, locations of ESL classes, etc.); (7) conversational Spanish classes, and (8) international population incorporation into a new culture.**

5. **Evangelism Committee: The Evangelism Committee will lead the Association (churches and programs) to address the priority of evangelism in its area and will include in its program: life-style evangelism; church evangelism committee development; evangelism strategy development; mass evangelism; personal evangelism; rural and small church evangelism; metropolitan evangelism; specialized evangelism; renewal evangelism, and evangelism prospect discovery. The committee will coordinate with other committes and member churches the festival ministries and special event ministries for evangelistic outreach in the Association.**

6. **Finance Committee: The Finance Committee shall consist of the Treasurer, Assistant Treasurer and four persons. The Finance Committee shall study, formulate, and recommend a budget adequate to support the program of the Association; formulate plans for promotion of the budget and cooperation of members in meeting budget needs; review the quarterly and annual financial reports of the Treasurer; review and monitor budget line item expenses; present periodical reports of contributions to members of the Association; and, present a written report to the quarterly and annual meeting of the Association. The Finance Committee shall study all financial matters which may be presented at an Association or Executive Board Meeting and report its findings before action is taken.**

7. **Historical Committee: The Historical Committee shall consist of the Historian and two other persons. The Historical Committee shall collect and preserve historical data of the association, encourage and promote the preservation of historical data by member churches, and present oral and written reports to meetings of the Association.**

8. **Memorials Committee: The Memorials Committee shall prepare a report of individuals who have expired since the last annual meeting as reflected in the Annual Church Profile (Church Letter) to the Association furnished by the members and shall conduct a brief, appropriate Memorial Service for such individuals during the Annual Meeting.**

9. **Meeting Program Committee: The Meeting Program Committee shall consist of the elected chairman, the Moderator, Clerk, Place and Preacher Committee chairman, Associational Music Director, and the Pastors of host churches for the annual and regular meetings of the Association. The Meeting Program Committee shall plan the annual and regular meetings of the Association, prepare a printed program for each of these meetings, and send a copy of the printed program to all persons on the program and members at least ten days prior to the meeting. This committee shall present the printed program for adoption at the opening of each meeting and serve through all meetings when adjustments of the program are necessary.**

10. **Missions Development Committee: The Missions Development Committee will lead the association (churches and programs) to address the priority missions frontiers in their area through work with church mission development committees, missions survey and analysis, church extension, language missions, church and community ministries, volunteer chaplaincy ministries, interfaith witness, black church relations, and special ministries.**

    The Missions Development committee will be responsible for assisting in the organization and admission of new churches as more specifically set out in Article VI B and C. The Missions Development Committee shall coordinate mission ministry projects in consultation with other committees of the Association as needed.

11. Music Committee: The Music Director elected by the Association shall serve as chairman of the Music Committee. Other members of the committee will be the music directors of each of the churches hosting the meetings of members. Music directors who served for the previous year will be ex officio members of the committee. The Music Committee will seek to enhance the redemptive mission of churches through establishing, conducting, enlarging, and improving their music ministries. It will provide musical experiences in congregational services; develop musical skills, attitudes, and understandings; witness and minister through music; interpret and undergird the work of the church and the denomination.
12. Nominating Committee: The Nominating Committee shall consist of five individuals recommended to the annual meeting by the Committee on Nominations and shall meet as often as necessary to fill vacancies and prepare nominations for the annual meeting of the association; seek to fill all positions with the best qualified nominees, avoiding the nomination of one individual for more than one position and distributing obligations and privileges of service to member representation; contact all nominees and secure consent before making recommendations to the Association; recommend to the Association during the annual meeting the officers, chairpersons, members of each standing committee, teams, and representatives, unless otherwise provided in these Bylaws; recommend to the Association individuals to fill vacancies which may occur between annual meetings of the Association.
13. Ordination Examining Committee: Each church of the Association shall have the exclusive right to ordain for the ministry without Associational involvement. However, member churches shall have the option to utilize the Associational Ordination Examining Committee as hereinafter set out. The Ordination Examining Committee shall consist of five persons. The Ordination Examining Committee shall receive requests from churches within the Association who wish to examine a candidate for ordination to the Gospel ministry; cooperate with the church requesting examination in setting a mutually satisfactory date for examination; question the candidate for ordination; report its findings to the church making such request for examination; approve for ordination only the candidate who has received a call to serve in an ordained Christian ministry of any kind including, but not limited to that of a member church of the Association, or Baptist churches outside the Association; to serve on the mission field, or to serve as a chaplain in the armed forces or a public institution; and, shall have the option to summons pastors and one lay person from any or all cooperating member churches of the Liberty Baptist Association.
14. Pastoral Ministries Committee: The Pastoral Ministries Committee will assist pastors and staff by being a friend and resource. The committee will offer help and wisdom to ministers in planning new ideas, implementation, and how to bring about change within their congregation. This committee will visit and welcome new ministers and help them establish a good foundation in their new work.
15. Personnel Committee: The Personnel Committee shall consist of five persons. Except as otherwise provided in Article X, E., the Personnel Committee shall receive applications, interview applicants, contact references, and carefully investigate those being considered for staff positions; and shall recommend the prospective employee. They shall make recommendation to the Association the need for any new staff position; shall prepare, periodically review, revise, and recommend changes in job descriptions to the Executive Board; shall prepare, periodically review, revise and recommend changes to Personnel Policy Manual and Benefits Plan; periodically evaluate personnel performance and make necessary recommendations to the staff; consult with and perform duties as set out in Article X of these Bylaws. The Personnel Committee shall establish a salary plan and prepare budget requests and submit such budget requests to the Finance Committee of the Association.

16. **Place and Preacher Committee: The Place and Preacher Committee shall solicit and receive invitations from churches to host the meetings of the members. The committee shall recommend the preacher and an alternate preacher for the meetings of the members. Recommendations for meeting places and the preacher and alternate preacher shall be made to the members at the annual meeting.**

17. **Resolutions Committee: The Resolutions Committee shall consist of five persons. The Resolutions Committee shall review all properly submitted resolutions which may be reworded for clarity, combined with like issues into one resolution, or rejected if previously addressed or are inappropriate; present all appropriate resolutions to the Association for consideration; prepare and present resolutions of appreciation and other resolutions deemed appropriate; and, notify persons submitting resolutions of the disposition thereof.**

18. **Scholarship Committee: The Scholarship Committee shall carry out the duties and obligations set out in the Guidelines for the Scholarship Committee of the Randall M. and Callie Sue Leonard Michael Scholarship as amended from time to time.**

19. **Senior Adult Committee: The Senior Adult Committee will plan activities and ministry projects for member church senior adults and will communicate any appropriate state and national conferences and Chautauguas to member churches.**

20. **Sunday School Committee: (Also known as ACTeam, Associational Consultant Team Training) The Sunday School Committee will assist and challenge churches to improve and enlarge all areas of their Sunday School through planning, training, administration activities, consultation, program interpretation, and cooperative projects. It will encourage and assist churches to understand that the Sunday School is the foundational strategy in a local church for leading people to faith in the Lord Jesus Christ and for the building of Great Commission Christians through Bible study groups that engage people in evangelism, discipleship, fellowship, ministry and worship.**

21. **Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee: Volunteer Missions/Partnership Committee (Foreign, Home, State, Association Missions) shall receive information, work with the Missions Development Committee, provide leadership and orientation for partnership project participants as needed. They will prepare a report for the annual meeting of the Association of work accomplished.**

22. **Youth Ministries Committee: The Youth Ministries Committee shall plan youth related ministries for the Association including retreats, rallies, and volunteer training.**

B. **Election and Term: The Standing Committees listed in Section A of this Article and the chairperson respectively thereof shall be nominated by the Nominating Committee and elected at the annual meeting of the Association. The term of office shall be one year beginning at the adjournment of the annual meeting in which the election was held.**

C. **Other Committees and Councils: The Association may create such other committees ~~and councils~~, not inconsistent with the Articles of Incorporation and these Bylaws, as may from time to time be required.**

D. **Special Standing Committees, Auxiliary, Teams, & Representatives: Special Standing Committees, Auxiliary, Teams, and Representatives of the Association are Brotherhood/Baptist Men Committee/Leadership Team, the Committee on Nominations, Woman's Missionary Union, and Representatives as from time to time needed as determined by the Association upon recommendation of the Executive Board. Unless otherwise set out herein, nominations shall be made by the Nominating Committee for election at the annual meeting of the association for a term of one year beginning at the adjournment of the annual meeting in which the election was held. Each such standing committee, auxiliary, team, and representative shall furnish a written report for inclusion in the Book of Reports at the annual meeting and their other specific responsibilities are as follows:**

1. **Brotherhood/Baptist Men Committe/Leadership Team: The Brotherhood/Baptist Men Committee/Leadership Team will assist churches in involving men and boys in missions; helping churches engage men and boys in missions activities; helping churches**

prepare to teach missions to men and boys; helping churches lead men and boys to pray for and give to missions; helping churches lead men and boys to develop personal ministry; and helping churches interpret and undergird the work of the church and the denomination.

2. Committee on Nominations: The Committee on Nominations shall consist of three persons who shall be nominated by the officers and elected by the Association at the July meeting. The Committee on Nominations shall serve until the annual meeting when its report is made to the Association. The duty of the Committee on Nominations shall be to nominate the Nominating Committee at the Annual Meeting and to recommend to the Association individuals to fill any Nominating Committee vacancies during the year.
3. Woman's Missionary Union: The Woman's Missionary Union of Liberty Baptist Association is an auxiliary of Liberty Baptist Association. The Woman's Missionary Union is governed by its Constitution and Bylaws and elects its director, officers, and leadership team and are included for information in the Book of Reports of the Association. The Director of Woman's Missionary Union serves on the Missions Development Committee and Executive Board with full voting privileges.
4. Bi-Vocational Ministers Representative: A Bi-Vocational minister (active or retired) shall be elected to address needs of the Bi-Vocational ministerial staff.
5. Christian Life and Public Affairs Representative: A Christian Life and Public Affairs Representative will assist churches in awareness of critical moral and social issues and in leading in Christian action to meet these needs; in applying the gospel to all areas of life, in demonstrating responsible concern for society; in broadening cooperative efforts and emphases; and, in mobilizing and equipping the constituency to be on mission in regard to moral and ethical concerns. Areas of involvement include family life, race relations, citizenship, hunger, and other special moral concerns.
6. Discipleship Training Representative: A Discipleship Representative will assist churches in starting, improving, and expanding Christian discipleship through Discipleship Training to help churches equip church members for discipleship and personal ministry; teach Christian theology and Baptist doctrine, Christian ethics, Christian history, and church polity and organization; equip church leaders for service; and interpret and undergird the work of the church and Association.
7. Hunger Awareness Representative: A Hunger Awareness Representative will keep abreast of hunger needs throughout the world and apprize the Association of these needs. Upon request, the representative will assist churches in projects within the Association to meet specific needs.
8. Seminary Extension Representative: The Seminary Extension Representative will seek to provide college-level theological education to ministers and laypersons and basic theological education to ministers who lack formal education. The representative will assist in securing necessary curriculum materials, administrative services, promotional materials, training materials for teachers, academic records, and certification of centers and teachers.
9. Stewardship Representative: The Stewardship Representative will assist churches in development of individual and corporate stewardship, interpretation of Biblical teachings on stewardship, and elevation of individual giving and corporate mission giving in light of Biblical teachings.

ARTICLE XII

ADOPTION AND AMENDMENT OF BYLAWS AND CORPORATE DOCUMENTS

A. Adoption:

These Bylaws shall be considered adopted and in immediate effect when a majority of the "Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in Article VII, G., at an annual meeting or a regular

meeting shall vote in favor thereof. This vote shall be taken not less than thirty days after mailing a copy of these Bylaws to each member.

B. Amendment:
These Bylaws, the Articles of Incorporation, or any parts thereof may be amended, altered, or repealed only by a majority vote of "Individuals entitled to vote," as defined in Article VII, G., at the annual meeting or a regular meeting of the Association.

C. Preservation:
A copy of all original corporate records, including but not limited to the Articles of Incorporation, the Bylaws, and Personnel Policies, shall be maintained at all times by the Clerk in the office of the Association; and copies of the same shall be kept in separate locations. All amendments to said documents or to any provisions thereof shall be prepared promptly after adoption by the Association; and the Secretary shall cause the same and copies to be typed or printed in proper form and attached to the originals of respective documents and kept as above stated.

ARTICLE XIII
GENERAL AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

A. Fiscal Year:
The fiscal year of the Association shall be from September 1 to August 31.

B. Reports:
Reports of officers, committees, auxiliary, teams, representatives, and church letters to the annual meeting of the Association shall cover the period from September 1 to August 31. All reports for the annual meeting shall be in writing for inclusion in the published Book of Reports and shall be limited to 250 words.

C. Audit:
An annual audit or review of the financial records of the Association shall be conducted by an independent accounting firm elected by the Association upon recommendation of the Audit Committee and the Executive Board.

D. Records:
The membership rolls, minutes of meetings, and annual reports shall be available at all reasonable times for all reasonable purposes.

E. Policy Manual:
The Policy Manual shall contain documents of procedure and the adopted Budget and Nominations Report not inconsistent with the Articles of Incorporation and these Bylaws from various committees and councils that have been recommended to and approved by the Association. These policies will be governing rules and procedures of the respective committees and councils of the Association. They may be amended by the Association upon recommendation of the Executive Board.

F. Seal:
There shall appear within the center of the Corporate Seal of the Association the words "Corporate Seal," around which shall appear two concentric circles within which will be inscribed Liberty Baptist Association of North Carolina, 1832. Such seal, as impressed on the margin hereof, is hereby adopted as the corporate seal of the Corporation.

G. Gender:
The use of terms in these Bylaws that may in other contexts tend to denote gender is intended to be neutral as to gender. The masculine shall be deemed to include the feminine and the feminine deemed to include the masculine.

H. Majority:
Unless these Bylaws or The General Statutes of North Carolina otherwise require a different number, a majority of those in attendance at any meeting of members or the Executive Board with a quorum present shall be required to effect any action.

As amended 10/7/96; 10/6/97; 10/5/98; and 10/1/2001.

HISTORICAL TABLE

Year	Where Held	Preacher	Moderator	Clerk
1832	Jamestown-1	George W. Purefoy	Wm Burch	Peter Owens
1833	Holloways	Jonah Williams	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1834	Abbotts Creek	Eli Carroll	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1835	Liberty	John Culpepper	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1836	Jersey	Eli Carroll	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1837	Lick Creek	Peter Owens	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1838	Abbotts Creek	Benjamin Lanier	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1839	Pine Meeting H-2	Eli Carroll	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1840	Holloways	Josiah Williams	Eli Carroll	Peter Owens
1841	N. Friendship	Benjamin Lanier	Gershom Tussey	Peter Owens
1842	Reeds X Roads	Barton Roby	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1843	Lick Creek	Benjamin Lanier	Benajmin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1844	Abbotts Creek	Wm. Turner	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1845	Jersey	Alfred Kenney	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1846	Lick Creek	Wm. Turner	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1847	Abbotts Creek	Wm. Turner	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1848	Reeds X Roads	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1849	Big Creek-3	Azariah Williams	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1850	Jamestown-1	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1851	Liberty	Wm. Turner	Wm. Turner	Azariah Williams
1852	Holloways	Z. Minor	Wm. Turner	Azariah Williams
1853	Abbotts Creek	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1854	Reeds X Roads	Alfred Kenney	Joseph Spurgeon	Azariah Williams
1855	Lick Creek	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1856	Abbotts Creek	Unknown	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1857	Reeds X Roads	Wm. Lambeth	Amos Weaver	Azariah Williams
1858	Holloways	Amos Weaver	Amos Weaver	Azariah Williams
1859	N. Friendship	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	J. H. Owens
1860	Jersey	Wm. Turner	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1861	Lick Creek	J. B. Jackson	J. B. Jackson	Azariah Williams
1862	Abbotts Creek	F. H. Jones	J. B. Jackson	Azariah Williams
1863	Thomasville	T. W. Tobey	J. B. Jackson	Azariah Williams
1864	Lick Creek	W. H. Hammer	Benjamin Lanier	Azariah Williams
1865	No Session Held			
1866	Abbotts Creek	W. T. Walters	Benjamin Lanier	J. H. Owens
1867	Jersey	Benjamin Lanier	Benjamin Lanier	J. H. Owens
1868	Abbotts Creek	W. H. Hammer	Benjamin Lanier	J. H. Owens
1869	Big Creek-3	A. P. Stoker	Wm. Turner	J. H. Owens
1870	Pine Meeting H-2	Wm. Turner	Wm. Turner	J. H. Owens
1871	N. Friendship	W. M. Wingate	Wm. Turner	J. H. Owens
1872	Holloways	H. Morton	J. H. Brooks	J. L. Pleasant
1873	Lick Creek	Thomas Carrick	H. Morton	Thomas Carrick
1874	Muddy Creek-4	A. F. Redd	Wm. Turner	Thomas Carrick
1875	Reeds X Roads	C. T. Bailey	Wm. Turner	Thomas Carrick
1876	High Point	H. W. Reinhart	Wm. Turner	Thomas Carrick
1877	Big Creek-3	I. B. Richardson	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1878	Abbotts Creek	H. W. Reinhart	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1879	Liberty	Harvey Hatcher	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1880	Holloways	S. F. Conrad	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1881	Jersey	Henry Sheets	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1882	Muddy Creek-4	S. H. Thompson	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets

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1883	Pine Meeting H-2	O. F. Gregory	H. W. Reinhart	Henry Sheets
1884	Summerville	S. H. Thompson	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1885	Lexington	I. B. Richardson	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1886	Abbotts Creek	I. B. Richardson	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1887	Lick Creek	Henry Sheets	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1888	Reeds X Roads	C. Durham	Wm. Turner	Henry Sheets
1889	N. Friendship	W. F. Watson	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1890	Jersey	J. M. Bennett	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1891	Pine Meeting H-2	J. F. Fant	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1892	High Point	Henry Sheets	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1893	Kernersville	R. T. Bryan	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1894	Holloways	R. Vandeventor	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1895	Pleasant Grove-6	J. M. Hilliard	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1896	Denton	Henry Sheets	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1897	Piney Grove-5	W. H. Rich	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1898	Rich Fork	J. H. Lambeth	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1899	Abbotts Creek	S. B. Wilson	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1900	Reeds X Roads	W. H. Rich	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1901	Lexington	C.A.G. Thomas	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1902	Lick Creek	Henry Sheets	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1903	Jersey	W. A. Smith	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1904	Pine Meeting H-2	Geo. P. Harrill	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1905	N. Friendship	John R. Miller	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1906	Thomasville	J. S. Famer	James Smith	Henry Sheets
1907	Wallburg	R. T. Vann	J. W. Nowell	P. S. Vann
1908	Denton	M. L. Kesler	J. W. Nowell	P. S. Vann
1909	Liberty	S. D. Swaim	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1910	Orphanage	O. A. Keller	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1911	Abbotts Creek	G. A. Martin	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1912	Stoners Grove	O. A. Keller	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1913	Rich Fork	M. L. Kesler	Henry Sheets	P. S. Vann
1914	Holloways	G. A. Martin	G. A. Martin	Henry Sheets
1915	Center Hill	O. A. Keller	O. A. Keller	Henry Sheets
1916	Wallburg	J. M. Mercer	O. A. Keller	Henry Sheets
1917	Smith Grove	Fred D. Hale	R. S. Green	Henry Sheets
1918	Lexington	M. L. Kesler	R. S. Green	Archibald Johnson
1919	Denton	R. E.White	R. S. Green	Archibald Johnson
1920	N. Friendship	J. S. Hardaway	R. S. Green	Archibald Johnson
1921	Churchland	M. L. Kesler	R. S. Green	Archibald Johnson
1922	Summerville	W. A. Hough	R. S. Green	Paul C. Newton
1923	Abbotts Creek	W. L. Barrs	Archibald Johnson	Paul C. Newton
1924	Reeds	C. H. Trueblood	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1925	Liberty	C. A. Owens	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1926	Rich Fork	E. N. Gardner	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1927	Thomasville	H. T. Penry	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1928	Holloways	M. L. Kesler	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1929	Stoners Grove	J. H. Hayes	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1930	Abbotts Creek	M. L. Kesler	Archibald Johnson	Sam J. Smith
1931	Denton	M. O. Alexander	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith
1932	Lexington	G. A. Martin	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith
1933	Lick Creek	E. F. Mumford	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith
1934	Jersey	W. L. Warfford	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith

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1935	Mills Home	E. C. Roach	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1936	Reeds	J. A. Nellson	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1937	Churchland	W. K. Mcgee	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1938	Denton	John A. McMillan	G. Wilson Miller	Sam J. Smith
1939	Wallburg	H. M. Stroup	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1940	Center Hill	L. S. Gaines	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1941	N. Friendship	N. C. Teague	R. D. Covington	Sam J. Smith
1942	Liberty/Abbotts Creek	I. G. Greer	H. M. Stroup	Sam J. Smith
1943	Lexington	B. A. Mitchell	H. M. Stroup	Sam J. Smith
1944	Thomasville	C. B. Atkinson	H. M. Stroup	Sam J. Smith
1945	Jersey	J. Roy Clifford	N. C. Teague	A. L. Snider
1946	Denton	V. W. Sears	N. C. Teague	A. L. Snider
1947	Wallburg	E. F. Baker	N. C. Teague	A. L. Snider
1948	Smith Grove	Chas. F. Leek	N. C. Teague	A. L. Snider
1949	Sheets Memorial	J. O. Walton	J. O. Walton	A. L. Snider
1950	Stoners Grove/Holloways	C. M. Pegram	J. O. Walton	A. L. Snider
1951	Greenwood/Rich Fork	C. C. Edinger	J. O. Walton	A. L. Snider
1952	Churchland/Reeds	W. C. Reed	Sam J. Smith	W. H. Lomax
1953	N. Friendship/Welcome	J. T. Davis	Sam J. Smith	W. H. Lomax
1954	Oak Hill/Abbotts Creek	Robert Taylor	J. O. Walton	W. H. Lomax
1955	Jersey/Lexington,First	Elmer W. Day	J. O. Walton	W. H. Lomax
1956	Mills Home	W. N. Brookshire	J. Roy Clifford	J. Wade Jarrett
1957	Denton,First/Center Hill	Clarence Jenkins	J. Roy Clifford	J. Wade Jarrett
1958	Southside/Liberty	F. M. Powell	W. N. Brookshire	J. Wade Jarrett
1959	Reeds/Coggins Mem	Guy C. Moore	W. N. Brookshire	J. Wade Jarrett
1960	Wallburg/Greenwood	Inman Stewart	Leonard Rollins	Robert Nation
1961	Churchland/Smith Grove	W. H. Walton	Leonard Rollins	Robert Nation
1962	Oak Hill/Rich Fork	Fred Jurney	Roger Williams	Wm. F. Bowen, Jr.
1963	Erlanger/Park Place	Leonard Rollins	Roger Williams	Wm. F. Bowen, Jr.
1964	Carolina Mem/Stoner Gr	Charles Yount	B. V. Broadway	Wm. F. Bowen, Jr.
1965	Abbotts Cr/N.Friendship	Kenneth Miller	Carl Hemphill	Wm. F. Bowen, Jr.
1966	Thomasville,1st/Center Hill	Bennie Crawford	Carl Hemphill	Richard Chapman
1967	Mills Home/Rich Fork	D. Hoke Coon	Bennie Crawford	Richard Chapman
1968	Lexington,First/Jersey	Carl Hemphill	Bennie Crawford	Dale R. Martin
1969	Denton,First/Summerville	H. M. Baker	William C. Adams	Dale R. Martin
1970	Hasty/Oak Hill	Jack Byrd	Jack Byrd	Dale R. Martin
1971	Welcome,First/Holloways	Melvin Greene	Jack Byrd	Morris Hollifield
1972	Greenwood/Hillside Park	Dean Harrold	Melvin Greene	Morris Hollifield
1973	Southside/Coggins Mem	James M. Lambert	Melvin Greene	Morris Hollifield
1974	Wallburg/Park Place	Dale R. Martin	Melvin Greene	Morris Hollifield
1975	Liberty/Carolina Mem	John H. Pace	Lamar L. Moore	Morris Hollifield
1976	Reeds/Smith Grove	Morris Hollifield	Lamar L. Moore	Morris Hollifield
1977	Welcome,First/Abbotts C.	Clyde B. Case	John H. Pace	Morris Hollifield
1978	Rich Fork/Calvary	Lamar L. Moore	John H. Pace	Morris Hollifield
1979	Churchland/N. Lexington	Jimmie Edwards	Max Evington	Morris Hollifield
1980	Jersey/Liberty	George Williamson	Max Evington	Morris Hollifield
1981	Coggins Mem/Southgate	Hugh Biggers	Warren Kerr	Morris Hollifield
1982	Abbotts Creek/Center Hill	Max Evington	Warren Kerr	Morris Hollifield
1983	N. Friendship/Wallburg	Dearl L. Bunce	Franklin Myers	Morris Hollifield
1984	Rich Fork/Greenwood	Robert Floyd	Brooks Hunt	Judy Wood
1985	Mills Home/Cedar Lodge	B. V. Broadway	Brooks Hunt	Judy Wood
1986	Carolina/Hasty/Victory	Roy Cantrell	Brooks Hunt	Judy Wood

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1987	Churchland/Welcome, 1st	Jake Sharpe	Roy Cantrell	Judy Wood
1988	Thomasville,1st/Park Place	Warren Kerr	Roy Cantrell	Judy Wood
1989	Reeds/Smith Grove	Paul Millwood	Morris Hollifield	Judy Wood
1990	Lexington,1st/N.Lexington	Brooks Hunt	Morris Hollifield	Judy Wood
1991	Denton,1st/Mills Home	Roy Queen	Gary Myers	Judy Wood
1992	Wallburg/Abbotts Creek	Charles Dickens	Gary Myers	Judy Wood
1993	Southside/Faith	Gary Myers	Bruce Hill/ Charles Penley, Jr.	Gail Beck
1994	Rich Fork/Oak Hill	Byron Barker	Charles Penley, Jr.	Gail Beck
1995	Jersey/Summerville	Warren Kerr	Stuart White	Gail Beck
1996	Coggins Mem/Lakeview	Fred Miller	Stuart White	Gail Beck
1997	Center Hill/Holloways	Leonard Rollins	Charles Dickens	Gail Beck
1998	Carolina Mem/ Thomasville, 1st	Charles Penley, Jr.	Charles Dickens	Gail Beck
1999	Lexington, 1st/ Stoner's Grove	Markus Sink Ray Howell, III	Markus Sink	Gail Beck
2000	Carolina Mem/Abbotts Cr.	E. Mark Blair	Markus Sink	Gail Beck
2001	Winter-Coggins Mem	Michael Ester	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
	Spring-Southgate	Steve Martin	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
	Summer-Denton 1st	Mike Cummings	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
	Annual-Welcome, 1st	Steve Jarvis	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
2002	Winter-Reeds	Steve Zimmerman	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
	Spring-New Friendship	Randy Stewart	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
	Summer-Cedar Lodge	George Thomason	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
	Annual-Churchland	Lowell Askins	Robert Floyd	Gail Beck
2003	Winter-Greenwood	Wayne Oakes	Michael Collier	Gail Beck
	Spring-Colonial	Vern Peterson	Michael Collier	Gail Beck
	Summer-Center Hill	Richard Brunson	Michael Collier	Gail Beck
	Annual-Wallburg	Charles Tanner	Michael Collier	Gail Beck
2004	Winter-Mills Home	Becky Brumitt & Wendy Menton Edwards	Michael Collier	Gail Beck
	Spring-Coggins Mem	Bob Floyd & Phil Stone	Michael Collier	Gail Beck
	Summer-Trinity	Ruby Fulbright	Vice-Gary Myers	Gail Beck
	Annual-North Lexington	Michael Collier & Bob Foy	Michael Collier	Gail Beck

1. Is now High Point
2. Is now Churchland
3. Is now Eldorado
4. Is now Clemmons
5. Is now Wallburg
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CONGREGATION	C/M	1	2	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Abbott's Creek	C	864	794	22	20	1832	2001	A	336	1	0	Y	Y	Y	1
Amity	C	90	90	0	0	1976	2004	A	55	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
Antioch	C	55	50	0	0	1996	1996	A	38	0	0	N	N	N	1
Cambodian Mission	M														7
Carolina Memorial Baptist Church	C	875	687	15	0	1930	2003	F	320	0	1	Y	Y	Y	1
Cedar Lodge Bapt	C	241	135	2	1	1964	2000	F	120	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
Center Hill	C	291	160	2	0	1907	0	G	85	0	0	N	N	Y	1
Central Bapt Ch	C														1
Churchland Bapt	C	476	203	4	0	1837	2004	A	250	0	0	N	Y	Y	1
Clearview Bapt	C	140	64	2	0	1953	1998	F	50	0	0	N	N	N	1
Coggins Memorial	C	653	527	22	0	1951	1990	F	185	0	1	Y	Y	Y	1
Colonial Bapt	C	313	274	30	0	1989	1998	C	175	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
Denton First	C	368	361	1	9	1891	1989	C	121	0	0	N	Y	Y	1
Faith Bapt Ch	C	168	158	1	0	1973	2003	A	67	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
Floyd Bapt Ch	C	110	80	0	0	1942	1994	A	35	0	0	N	N	N	1
Friendship-Ledford Community	C														1
Greenwood	C	426	354	5	0	1946	1999	F	212	0	0	Y	N	Y	1
Hasty Bapt Ch	C	231	172	0	0	1957	0	A	52	0	0	N	Y	Y	1
High Rock Bapt	C	75	60	0	0	1947	1997	A	34	0	0	N	N	N	1
Hillside Park Bapt	C	327	327	8	0	1964	0	C	192	0	0	Y	N	Y	1
Holloways Bapt	C	197	113	0	0	1836	2002	A	91	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
Jersey Bapt Ch	C	500	378	8	8	1755	1998	A	210	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
Lakeview Bapt	C	168	69	10	0	1944	2003	A	40	0	0	Y	Y	N	1
Lexington First	C	915	731	14	12	1881	1990	F	500	0	0	N	N	N	1
Liberty	C	719	685	3	0	1828	0	A	125	0	0	Y	N	Y	1
Lick Creek	C	99	78	5	0	1787	1993	A	67	0	0	Y	N	Y	1
Mills Home Bapt	C	1,000	12	0	0	1891	1992	F	100	0	0	N	N	Y	1
Mision Bautista Hispana	M														1
Mision Bautista Hispana	M														3
Mountain View Bapt	C														1
New Friendship Bapt	C	550	368	13	0	1827	2000	A	191	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
North Davidson Community	M														1
North Lexington Bapt	C	299	279	5	9	1916	1975	F	166	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
Oak Hill Memorial	C	307	302	5	0	1939	1989	A	150	0	0	N	N	Y	1
Oakhurst Bapt Ch	C														1
Park Place Bapt Ch	C	483	474	0	0	1938	0	F	150	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
Reeds Bapt Ch	C	530	340	4	0	1795	0	B	190	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
Rich Fork Bapt Ch	C	1,308	1,274	27	85	1884	0	G	925	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1

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CONGREGATION	C/M	1	2	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Sanctuary Baptist Church	C														1
Smith Grove Bapt	C	407	336	2	0	1909	0	A	85	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
Southgate Bapt	C	526	265	9	0	1946	1998	F	160	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
Southside	C	343	343	0	8	1913	1999	C	69	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
Stoner's Grove	C	300	211	16	19	1900	2001	A	113	0	0	N	Y	Y	1
Summerville Bapt Ch	C	431	381	1	4	1873	2004	A	185	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
Thomasville First	C	519	393	0	0	1859	1999	E	89	0	0	Y	N	Y	1
Trinity	C	149	130	3	0	1981	0	A	60	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
Victory Bapt Ch	C	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0				1
Wallburg Bapt Ch	C	390	359	6	0	1892	2002	B	146	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
Welcome First	C	872	733	16	31	1911	1999	D	333	0	0	Y	Y	Y	1
Total:		**16,715**	**12,750**	**261**	**206**				**6,472**	**1**	**2**				

Baptism Info

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Legend: 3 -- Baptisms Total 3a -- Baptisms 0-5 3b -- Baptisms 6-8 3c -- Baptisms 9-11 3d -- Baptisms 12-17 3e -- Baptisms 18-29 3f -- Baptisms 30-59 3g -- Baptisms

CONGREGATION	C/M	3	3a	3b	3c	3d	3e	3f	3g
Abbott's Creek	C	12	0	3	2	1	0	6	0
Amity	C	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
Antioch	C	7	0	1	1	2	0	2	1
Cambodian Mission	M								
Carolina Memorial Baptist Church	C	16	0	5	2	2	3	3	1
Cedar Lodge Bapt	C	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Center Hill	C	3	0	0	1	2	0	0	0
Central Bapt Ch	C								
Churchland Bapt	C	3	0	1	0	1	0	0	1
Clearview Bapt	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coggins Memorial	C	15	0	0	1	5	3	5	1
Colonial Bapt	C	12	0	0	0	6	6	0	0
Denton First	C	8	0	0	1	3	1	3	0
Faith Bapt Ch	C	9	0	0	3	2	0	3	1
Floyd Bapt Ch	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Friendship-Ledford Community	C								
Greenwood	C	4	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
Hasty Bapt Ch	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
High Rock Bapt	C	7	0	0	0	1	2	2	2
Hillside Park Bapt	C	8	0	0	3	1	2	1	1
Holloways Bapt	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jersey Bapt Ch	C	5	0	1	3	0	1	0	0
Lakeview Bapt	C	5	0	0	1	4	0	0	0
Lexington First	C	9	0	2	2	2	2	1	0
Liberty	C	8	0	0	3	4	0	1	0
Lick Creek	C	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
Mills Home Bapt	C	8	0	0	0	8	0	0	0
Mision Bautista Hispana	M								
Mision Bautista Hispana	M								
Mountain View Bapt	C								
New Friendship Bapt	C	15	1	4	5	3	1	1	0
North Davidson Community	M								

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CONGREGATION	C/M	3	3a	3b	3c	3d	3e	3f	3g
North Lexington Bapt	C	4	0	0	1	1	0	0	2
Oak Hill Memorial	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oakhurst Bapt Ch	C								
Park Place Bapt Ch	C	5	0	1	1	1	0	0	2
Reeds Bapt Ch	C	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	1
Rich Fork Bapt Ch	C	65	0	16	10	13	5	6	15
Sanctuary Baptist Church	C								
Smith Grove Bapt	C	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Southgate Bapt	C	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	1
Southside	C	4	0	0	0	3	1	0	0
Stoner's Grove	C	13	0	0	0	4	0	9	0
Summerville Bapt Ch	C	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	3
Thomasville First	C	7	0	0	2	0	1	3	1
Trinity	C	3	0	0	0	1	0	2	0
Victory Bapt Ch	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wallburg Bapt Ch	C	13	0	4	3	4	0	2	0
Welcome First	C	15	0	1	1	3	2	4	4
Total:		**300**	**1**	**42**	**50**	**79**	**32**	**59**	**37**

Sunday School Info - Enrollment

Liberty

Legend: 15 -- Total SS Enrollment 15a -- SS 0-5 15b -- SS 6-11 15c -- SS 12-17 15d -- SS 18-24 15e -- SS 25-34 15f -- SS 35-54 15g -- SS 55 up 15h -- SS General Officers 15i -- Other Bible Study 16 -- SS Avg Weekly Attendance 17 -- Non-Cong Members 18 -- Vacation Bible School

CONGREGATION	C/M	15	15a	15b	15c	15d	15e	15f	15g	15h	15i	16	17	18
Abbott's Creek	C	520	50	72	58	30	71	160	47	5	0	269	10	274
Amity	C	50	4	7	7	2	0	13	3	6	4	30	8	35
Antioch	C	42	3	2	2	0	4	6	5	0	0	30	0	0
Cambodian Mission	M													
Carolina Memorial Baptist Church	C	480	39	48	57	10	12	96	71	4	0	279	15	225
Cedar Lodge Bapt	C	124	7	3	7	2	4	12	24	5	35	57	5	89
Center Hill	C	110	7	6	14	10	10	10	29	4	0	70	10	96
Central Bapt Ch	C													
Churchland Bapt	C	177	26	21	10	5	33	12	24	12	0	101	31	76
Clearview Bapt	C	30	0	2	4	1	2	10	5	1	0	25	0	0
Coggins Memorial	C	466	32	45	58	34	50	123	49	7	0	158	52	165
Colonial Bapt	C	144	9	22	21	0	20	10	43	6	0	118	15	110
Denton First	C	175	24	18	22	12	17	15	23	9	7	86	3	103
Faith Bapt Ch	C	75	6	5	4	11	7	10	4	10	0	57	0	0
Floyd Bapt Ch	C	40	4	5	6	1	0	9	6	0	0	27	2	50
Friendship-Ledford Community	C													
Greenwood	C	210	18	24	18	17	26	21	38	4	0	123	20	141
Hasty Bapt Ch	C	45	2	2	2	1	4	2	15	2	0	35	0	0
High Rock Bapt	C	31	0	4	3	0	7	7	5	2	0	18	2	0
Hillside Park Bapt	C	150	14	13	14	8	10	22	49	12	0	126	0	120
Holloways Bapt	C	115	5	13	5	4	8	23	17	1	0	69	16	94
Jersey Bapt Ch	C	248	30	27	17	9	18	30	59	0	12	195	6	130
Lakeview Bapt	C	36	1	1	10	1	0	13	5	1	0	19	3	81
Lexington First	C	584	29	32	56	15	68	134	36	7	115	242	10	211
Liberty	C	144	6	11	20	6	8	17	13	5	0	120	28	106
Lick Creek	C	63	9	9	8	4	4	4	15	0	0	42	6	70
Mills Home Bapt	C	102	8	10	50	3	15	10	4	1	1	75	0	0
Mision Bautista Hispana	M													
Mision Bautista Hispana	M													
Mountain View Bapt	C													
New Friendship Bapt	C	218	32	27	22	9	38	31	26	2	0	175	44	145

Sunday School Info - Enrollment

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CONGREGATION	C/M	15	15a	15b	15c	15d	15e	15f	15g	15h	15i	16	17	18
North Davidson Community	M													
North Lexington Bapt	C	189	18	27	16	10	20	31	32	4	0	163	12	155
Oak Hill Memorial	C	124	4	14	15	5	10	53	0	0	0	4	0	50
Oakhurst Bapt Ch	C													
Park Place Bapt Ch	C	253	19	26	31	5	23	61	48	2	0	140	11	123
Reeds Bapt Ch	C	368	29	44	35	14	30	47	57	6	27	167	30	142
Rich Fork Bapt Ch	C	1,074	96	84	120	97	140	280	90	12	75	473	448	234
Sanctuary Baptist Church	C													
Smith Grove Bapt	C	144	10	13	13	2	0	31	24	4	0	89	5	110
Southgate Bapt	C	187	21	15	25	15	20	23	27	5	12	89	15	81
Southside	C	83	13	14	10	2	4	8	8	8	0	60	26	81
Stoner's Grove	C	109	8	7	8	4	8	14	19	4	0	76	4	83
Summerville Bapt Ch	C	168	6	27	30	6	4	32	24	3	0	113	0	166
Thomasville First	C	180	6	7	29	4	6	25	22	0	0	89	21	72
Trinity	C	82	4	6	14	12	20	4	4	0	0	41	0	47
Victory Bapt Ch	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wallburg Bapt Ch	C	214	14	31	11	6	33	19	14	5	0	107	4	112
Welcome First	C	512	60	46	50	53	118	59	77	13	0	297	36	300
Total:		**8,066**	**673**	**790**	**902**	**430**	**872**	**1,487**	**1,061**	**172**	**288**	**4,454**	**898**	**4,077**

Discipleship Training Info

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Legend: 19 -- Total Ongoing Discipleship Training 19a -- Ongoing Preschool B-5 19b -- Ongoing Child 6-11 19c -- Ongoing Youth 12-17 19d -- Ongoing Adult 18-up 19e -- DT Gen. Officers 20 -- Total Short-Term DT 20a -- Short-Term Preschool 20b -- Short-Term Children 20c -- Short-Term Youth 20d -- Short-Term Adults - Gen. Officers DTEN (19+20) -- Total DT Enrollment/Participation

CONGREGATION	C/M	19	19a	19b	19c	19d	19e	20	20a	20b	20c	20d	DTEN
Abbott's Creek	C	68	8	10	28	18	4	433	15	51	69	298	501
Amity	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Antioch	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cambodian Mission	M												
Carolina Memorial Baptist Church	C	56	8	27	13	5	3	140	0	10	7	123	196
Cedar Lodge Bapt	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	6	6
Center Hill	C	17	0	4	7	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	17
Central Bapt Ch	C												
Churchland Bapt	C	14	0	0	6	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	14
Clearview Bapt	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coggins Memorial	C	72	7	20	22	20	3	87	0	0	12	75	159
Colonial Bapt	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Denton First	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	4	6	10
Faith Bapt Ch	C	51	7	12	4	20	8	0	0	0	0	0	51
Floyd Bapt Ch	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Friendship-Ledford Community	C												
Greenwood	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hasty Bapt Ch	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
High Rock Bapt	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hillside Park Bapt	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Holloways Bapt	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jersey Bapt Ch	C	86	12	17	10	45	2	28	0	8	8	12	114
Lakeview Bapt	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lexington First	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liberty	C	16	0	11	2	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	16
Lick Creek	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mills Home Bapt	C	80	0	10	50	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	80
Mision Bautista Hispana	M												
Mision Bautista Hispana	M												
Mountain View Bapt	C												
New Friendship Bapt	C	15	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15
North Davidson Community	M												
North Lexington Bapt	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	5	5

Discipleship Training Info

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CONGREGATION	C/M	19	19a	19b	19c	19d	19e	20	20a	20b	20c	20d	DTEN
Oak Hill Memorial	C	74	4	6	14	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	74
Oakhurst Bapt Ch	C												
Park Place Bapt Ch	C	42	16	22	0	0	4	10	6	2	0	2	52
Reeds Bapt Ch	C	8	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Rich Fork Bapt Ch	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	348	30	53	99	166	348
Sanctuary Baptist Church	C												
Smith Grove Bapt	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southgate Bapt	C	86	7	8	15	46	10	68	0	33	27	8	154
Southside	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stoner's Grove	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Summerville Bapt Ch	C	41	0	0	0	40	1	6	0	4	0	2	47
Thomasville First	C	35	0	1	7	26	1	0	0	0	0	0	35
Trinity	C	9	0	0	6	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Victory Bapt Ch	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wallburg Bapt Ch	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	0	0	0	29	29
Welcome First	C	72	4	36	32	0	0	108	0	22	14	72	180
Total:		**842**	**73**	**199**	**224**	**299**	**47**	**1,278**	**51**	**183**	**240**	**804**	**2,120**
	M												
	M												
	C												
	C	15	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15
	M												
	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Music Ministry Info

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Legend: 21 -- Total Music Ministry Enrollment 21a -- Preschool 3-5 21b -- Children 6-11 21c -- Youth 12-17 21d -- Adult Choir 18-up 21e -- Other Music Groups

CONGREGATION	C/M	21	21a	21b	21c	21d	21e
Abbott's Creek	C	87	15	25	10	30	7
Amity	C	25	4	6	2	11	2
Antioch	C	10	0	0	0	10	0
Cambodian Mission	M						
Carolina Memorial Baptist Church	C	97	5	20	20	40	12
Cedar Lodge Bapt	C	40	2	6	0	28	4
Center Hill	C	17	0	0	0	17	0
Central Bapt Ch	C						
Churchland Bapt	C	72	15	10	0	32	15
Clearview Bapt	C	21	0	0	2	19	0
Coggins Memorial	C	120	15	35	20	35	15
Colonial Bapt	C	63	0	16	4	43	0
Denton First	C	20	0	0	1	19	0
Faith Bapt Ch	C	25	0	0	3	22	0
Floyd Bapt Ch	C	20	0	1	3	16	0
Friendship-Ledford Community	C						
Greenwood	C	122	12	18	12	56	24
Hasty Bapt Ch	C	15	0	0	0	15	0
High Rock Bapt	C	10	0	0	0	10	0
Hillside Park Bapt	C	71	0	0	0	71	0
Holloways Bapt	C	20	0	0	0	20	0
Jersey Bapt Ch	C	99	8	15	0	31	45
Lakeview Bapt	C	5	0	0	0	0	5
Lexington First	C	164	15	30	25	80	14
Liberty	C	17	0	0	0	17	0
Lick Creek	C	19	0	0	0	19	0
Mills Home Bapt	C	80	0	10	50	20	0
Mision Bautista Hispana	M						
Mision Bautista Hispana	M						
Mountain View Bapt	C						
New Friendship Bapt	C	66	10	14	0	32	10
North Davidson Community	M						

Music Ministry Info

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Legend: 21 -- Total Music Ministry Enrollment 21a -- Preschool 3-5 21b -- Children 6-11 21c -- Youth 12-17 21d -- Adult Choir 18-up 21e -- Other Music Groups

CONGREGATION	C/M	21	21a	21b	21c	21d	21e
North Lexington Bapt	C	55	0	15	0	40	0
Oak Hill Memorial	C	37	0	0	0	37	0
Oakhurst Bapt Ch	C						
Park Place Bapt Ch	C	68	4	6	18	25	15
Reeds Bapt Ch	C	49	0	16	0	33	0
Rich Fork Bapt Ch	C	300	15	40	35	150	60
Sanctuary Baptist Church	C						
Smith Grove Bapt	C	28	0	0	0	18	10
Southgate Bapt	C	41	8	0	0	25	8
Southside	C	34	3	8	0	23	0
Stoner's Grove	C	48	6	9	0	25	8
Summerville Bapt Ch	C	49	0	3	3	28	15
Thomasville First	C	49	1	6	10	20	12
Trinity	C	10	0	0	0	10	0
Victory Bapt Ch	C	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wallburg Bapt Ch	C	16	0	0	1	15	0
Welcome First	C	140	0	43	0	41	56
Total:		**2,229**	**138**	**352**	**219**	**1,183**	**337**

Missions Involvement

Liberty

Legend: 22 -- Miss. Project Participation 22a -- Local Community 22b -- State 22c -- US/Canada 22d -- International

CONGREGATION	C/M	22	22a	22b	22c	22d
Abbott's Creek	C	124	65	29	24	6
Amity	C	0	0	0	0	0
Antioch	C	0	0	0	0	0
Cambodian Mission	M					
Carolina Memorial Baptist Church	C	44	28	2	10	4
Cedar Lodge Bapt	C	2	2	0	0	0
Center Hill	C	87	71	0	0	16
Central Bapt Ch	C					
Churchland Bapt	C	0	0	0	0	0
Clearview Bapt	C	0	0	0	0	0
Coggins Memorial	C	26	10	15	0	1
Colonial Bapt	C	0	0	0	0	0
Denton First	C	54	41	9	2	2
Faith Bapt Ch	C	0	0	0	0	0
Floyd Bapt Ch	C	0	0	0	0	0
Friendship-Ledford Community	C					
Greenwood	C	68	48	8	6	6
Hasty Bapt Ch	C	0	0	0	0	0
High Rock Bapt	C	0	0	0	0	0
Hillside Park Bapt	C	0	0	0	0	0
Holloways Bapt	C	17	16	0	1	0
Jersey Bapt Ch	C	535	350	80	35	70
Lakeview Bapt	C	1	0	0	1	0
Lexington First	C	68	18	3	15	32
Liberty	C	6	0	5	1	0
Lick Creek	C	0	0	0	0	0
Mills Home Bapt	C	0	0	0	0	0
Mision Bautista Hispana	M					
Mision Bautista Hispana	M					
Mountain View Bapt	C					
New Friendship Bapt	C	87	28	59	0	0
North Davidson Community	M					

Missions Involvement

Liberty

Legend: 22 -- Miss. Project Participation 22a -- Local Community 22b -- State 22c -- US/Canada 22d -- International

CONGREGATION	C/M	22	22a	22b	22c	22d
North Lexington Bapt	C	40	20	0	20	0
Oak Hill Memorial	C	0	0	0	0	0
Oakhurst Bapt Ch	C					
Park Place Bapt Ch	C	70	70	0	0	0
Reeds Bapt Ch	C	293	198	28	29	38
Rich Fork Bapt Ch	C	205	40	46	69	50
Sanctuary Baptist Church	C					
Smith Grove Bapt	C	371	370	0	1	0
Southgate Bapt	C	8	8	0	0	0
Southside	C	21	18	1	1	1
Stoner's Grove	C	2	2	0	0	0
Summerville Bapt Ch	C	35	12	20	2	1
Thomasville First	C	113	50	33	0	30
Trinity	C	9	4	5	0	0
Victory Bapt Ch	C	0	0	0	0	0
Wallburg Bapt Ch	C	1	0	0	0	1
Welcome First	C	266	220	15	28	3
[illegible]						
[illegible] **Total:**	C	**2,553**	**1,689**	**358**	**245**	**261**
[illegible]	C	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	C	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	C	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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[illegible]	C	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	C	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	C	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	M					
[illegible]	M					
[illegible]	C					
[illegible]	C	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	M					

Financial - General

Liberty

Legend: 26 -- Undesignated Gifts 27 -- Designated Gifts 28 -- Other Receipts TRE -- Total Receipts (26+27+28) 36 -- Value Cong. Property 37 -- Cong Debt

CONGREGATION	C/M	26	27	28	TRE	36	37
Abbott's Creek	C	$438,165	$111,233	$0	$549,398	$3,000,000	$0
Amity	C	$30,000	$5,000	$0	$35,000	$275,000	$500
Antioch	C	$71,796	$7,842	$4,299	$83,937	$350,000	$0
Cambodian Mission	M						
Carolina Memorial Baptist Church	C	$478,367	$52,648	$4,348	$535,363	$3,000,000	$240,432
Cedar Lodge Bapt	C	$159,875	$18,985	$721	$179,581	$1,343,000	$0
Center Hill	C	$80,068	$6,575	$14,868	$101,511	$120,000	$0
Central Bapt Ch	C						
Churchland Bapt	C	$125,330	$79,000	$15,363	$219,693	$2,000,000	$300,000
Clearview Bapt	C	$23,816	$11,474	$0	$35,290	$75,000	$0
Coggins Memorial	C	$343,540	$61,125	$365,220	$769,885	$2,500,000	$301,144
Colonial Bapt	C	$268,262	$35,329	$0	$303,591	$1,739,719	$679,628
Denton First	C	$152,930	$104,990	$0	$257,920	$2,145,000	$27,000
Faith Bapt Ch	C	$43,030	$7,812	$0	$50,842	$250,000	$0
Floyd Bapt Ch	C	$22,530	$233	$0	$22,763	$210,000	$0
Friendship-Ledford Community	C						
Greenwood	C	$195,169	$18,606	$8,113	$221,888	$1,700,000	$6,352
Hasty Bapt Ch	C	$68,927	$2,972	$5,920	$77,819	$750,000	$0
High Rock Bapt	C	$8,905	$0	$0	$8,905	$250,000	$0
Hillside Park Bapt	C	$251,979	$75	$0	$252,054	$1,500,000	$0
Holloways Bapt	C	$90,962	$6,672	$16	$97,650	$750,000	$0
Jersey Bapt Ch	C	$272,013	$83,291	$9,967	$365,271	$3,863,175	$0
Lakeview Bapt	C	$30,402	$583	$305	$31,290	$430,000	$0
Lexington First	C	$798,349	$92,516	$33,923	$924,788	$5,050,000	$12,000
Liberty	C	$148,461	$11,657	$3,373	$163,491	$2,041,000	$0
Lick Creek	C	$33,850	$7,246	$32	$41,128	$373,147	$0
Mills Home Bapt	C	$2,300	$500	$0	$2,800	$0	$0
Mision Bautista Hispana	M						
Mision Bautista Hispana	M						
Mountain View Bapt	C						
New Friendship Bapt	C	$294,410	$36,172	$4,013	$334,595	$2,000,000	$0
North Davidson Community	M						

Legend: 26 -- Undesignated Gifts 27 -- Designated Gifts 28 -- Other Receipts TRE -- Total Receipts (26+27+28) 36 -- Value Cong. Property 37 -- Cong.Debt

CONGREGATION	C/M	26	27	28	TRE	36	37
North Lexington Bapt	C	$218,104	$68,512	$27	$286,643	$1,875,000	$0
Oak Hill Memorial	C	$201,481	$16,783	$5,000	$223,264	$971,345	$167,024
Oakhurst Bapt Ch	C						
Park Place Bapt Ch	C	$211,880	$41,072	$634	$253,586	$2,500,000	$416,531
Reeds Bapt Ch	C	$240,665	$436,637	$0	$677,302	$1,438,573	$0
Rich Fork Bapt Ch	C	$1,048,453	$100,050	$656	$1,149,159	$0	$0
Sanctuary Baptist Church	C						
Smith Grove Bapt	C	$102,014	$12,965	$9,649	$124,628	$1,910,500	$0
Southgate Bapt	C	$162,873	$36,616	$0	$199,489	$1,649,900	$34,257
Southside	C	$120,151	$23,750	$3,045	$146,946	$1,500,000	$75,000
Stoner's Grove	C	$10,293	$14,458	$19,689	$44,440	$524,250	$0
Summerville Bapt Ch	C	$147,147	$13,466	$46,746	$207,359	$1,242,900	$0
Thomasville First	C	$199,413	$54,598	$31	$254,043	$2,577,000	$0
Trinity	C	$82,372	$6,751	$0	$89,123	$500,000	$0
Victory Bapt Ch	C	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0
Wallburg Bapt Ch	C	$181,013	$39,905	$0	$220,918	$1,000,000	$0
Welcome First	C	$468,790	$206,194	$17,220	$692,204	$3,221,433	$0
Total:		**$7,828,085**	**$1,834,293**	**$573,178**	**$10,235,557**	**$56,625,942**	**$0**

Financial - Missions

Liberty

Legend: 29 -- Cooperative Programs 30 -- Assoc. Missions 31 -- State Missions 32 -- Annie Armstrong 33 -- Lottie Moon 34-- Other SBC Miss. Exp. 35 -- Non-SBC Miss. Exp. TME -- Total Mission Expenditures (29-35)

CONGREGATION	C/M	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	TME
Abbott's Creek	C	$9,500	$7,500	$5,350	$10,850	$13,517	$797	$35,437	$82,951
Amity	C	$0	$600	$210	$60	$40	$0	$240	$1,150
Antioch	C	$2,627	$626	$1,370	$1,275	$1,271	$2,392	$5,435	$14,996
Cambodian Mission	M								
Carolina Memorial Baptist Church	C	$43,474	$16,721	$7,057	$7,197	$20,624	$11,339	$7,510	$113,922
Cedar Lodge Bapt	C	$14,120	$1,200	$955	$2,130	$3,824	$1,000	$2,320	$25,549
Center Hill	C	$1,300	$1,200	$647	$1,288	$1,591	$334	$10,216	$16,576
Central Bapt Ch	C								
Churchland Bapt	C	$2,000	$1,144	$0	$0	$202	$117	$3,344	$6,807
Clearview Bapt	C	$0	$200	$100	$100	$200	$270	$0	$870
Coggins Memorial	C	$19,039	$12,201	$1,730	$1,616	$3,142	$12,227	$3,600	$53,555
Colonial Bapt	C	$20,835	$5,209	$0	$3,220	$5,733	$0	$0	$34,997
Denton First	C	$8,856	$4,429	$520	$777	$1,615	$5,651	$79,483	$101,331
Faith Bapt Ch	C	$750	$600	$450	$646	$770	$1,350	$604	$5,170
Floyd Bapt Ch	C	$560	$400	$300	$300	$300	$900	$1,663	$4,423
Friendship-Ledford Community	C								
Greenwood	C	$5,555	$2,750	$1,375	$2,305	$3,291	$2,300	$1,655	$19,231
Hasty Bapt Ch	C	$4,150	$710	$110	$0	$772	$0	$0	$5,742
High Rock Bapt	C	$50	$200	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$250
Hillside Park Bapt	C	$0	$1,300	$91	$104	$2,500	$754	$0	$4,749
Holloways Bapt	C	$10,915	$2,729	$1,017	$1,416	$2,060	$537	$1,000	$19,674
Jersey Bapt Ch	C	$20,100	$5,250	$20,543	$3,544	$11,038	$711	$4,119	$65,305
Lakeview Bapt	C	$1,216	$305	$0	$160	$385	$10	$913	$2,989
Lexington First	C	$16,330	$7,000	$23,500	$0	$1,400	$13,050	$101,176	$162,456
Liberty	C	$646	$126	$86	$175	$315	$1,091	$2,149	$4,588
Lick Creek	C	$506	$275	$497	$0	$250	$2,032	$1,943	$5,503
Mills Home Bapt	C	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0
Mision Bautista Hispana	M								
Mision Bautista Hispana	M								
Mountain View Bapt	C								
New Friendship Bapt	C	$18,761	$6,636	$1,137	$1,308	$11,124	$851	$11,611	$51,428

Liberty

Legend: 29 -- Cooperative Programs 30 -- Assoc. Missions 31 -- State Missions 32 -- Annie Armstrong 33 -- Lottie Moon 34-- Other SBC Miss. Exp. 35 -- Non-SBC Miss. Exp. TME -- Total Mission Expenditures (29-35)

CONGREGATION	C/M	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	TME
North Davidson Community	M								
North Lexington Bapt	C	$21,789	$1,100	$816	$1,563	$4,279	$10	$1,400	$30,957
Oak Hill Memorial	C	$2,160	$6,300	$480	$1,510	$5,008	$265	$0	$15,723
Oakhurst Bapt Ch	C								
Park Place Bapt Ch	C	$12,767	$4,256	$1,355	$2,087	$4,262	$773	$1,171	$26,671
Reeds Bapt Ch	C	$32,141	$9,712	$826	$1,705	$2,048	$4,158	$2,262	$52,852
Rich Fork Bapt Ch	C	$53,000	$3,750	$1,500	$2,500	$5,000	$4,200	$0	$69,950
Sanctuary Baptist Church	C								
Smith Grove Bapt	C	$8,684	$2,063	$508	$3,498	$6,077	$5,770	$2,770	$29,370
Southgate Bapt	C	$4,889	$4,542	$0	$728	$1,935	$0	$2,578	$14,672
Southside	C	$12,015	$3,604	$223	$1,310	$1,868	$150	$1,441	$20,611
Stoner's Grove	C	$6,600	$1,500	$2,174	$690	$1,591	$0	$1,943	$14,498
Summerville Bapt Ch	C	$12,759	$4,253	$452	$1,072	$1,109	$1,401	$3,941	$24,987
Thomasville First	C	$7,223	$3,546	$1,270	$2,410	$3,891	$0	$2,325	$20,664
Trinity	C	$4,090	$2,304	$428	$3,294	$4,545	$872	$0	$15,533
Victory Bapt Ch	C	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0
Wallburg Bapt Ch	C	$6,000	$2,500	$724	$1,465	$3,815	$330	$0	$14,834
Welcome First	C	$54,196	$13,546	$5,138	$5,016	$12,233	$11,676	$6,943	$108,748
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Total:	C	**$439,603**	**$142,287**	**$82,939**	**$67,319**	**$143,625**	**$87,318**	**$301,192**	**$1,264,282**
[illegible]	C	$10,915	$2,5[illegible]	$[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	C	$20,110	$6,250	$1,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	C	$1,216	$[illegible]	$[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	C	$16,339	$5,[illegible]	$23,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	C	$606	$1[illegible]	$[illegible]	$[illegible]	$[illegible]	$[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	C	$506	$275	$[illegible]	[illegible]	$[illegible]	$[illegible]	$[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	C	$0	$0	$0	[illegible]	$0	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	M								
[illegible]	M								
[illegible]	C								
[illegible]	C	$18,761	$6,63[illegible]	$1,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Congregation Summary

Liberty

Legend: 3 --- Total Baptisms 4 -- Other Additions 1 -- Total Membership 15 -- Total SS Enrollment 16 -- SS Avg. Weekly Attendance 18 -- Vacation Bible School DTEN (19+20) -- Total DT Enrollment/Participation 21 -- Total Music Ministry Enrollment 23 -- Total WMU Enrollment 24 -- Total Brotherhood Enrollment TRE --Total Receipts (26+27+28) 29 -- Total Cooperative Program 30 -- Total Assn. Missions TME -- Total Mission Expenditures (29-35)

CONGREGATION	C/M	3	4	1	15	16	18	DTEN	21	23	24	TRE	29	30	TME
Abbott's Creek	C	12	22	864	520	269	274	501	87	116	60	$549,398	$9,500	$7,500	$82,951
Amity	C	2	0	90	50	30	35	0	25	3	7	$35,000	$0	$600	$1,150
Antioch	C	7	0	55	42	30	0	0	10	16	9	$83,937	$2,627	$626	$14,996
Cambodian Mission	M														
Carolina Memorial Baptist Church		16	15	875	480	279	225	196	97	110	107	$535,363	$43,474	$16,721	$113,922
Cedar Lodge Bapt	C	1	2	241	124	57	89	6	40	72	45	$179,581	$14,120	$1,200	$25,549
Center Hill	C	3	2	291	110	70	96	17	17	50	0	$101,511	$1,300	$1,200	$16,576
Central Bapt Ch	C														
Churchland Bapt	C	3	4	476	177	101	76	14	72	39	0	$219,693	$2,000	$1,144	$6,807
Clearview Bapt	C	0	2	140	30	25	0	0	21	0	0	$35,290	$0	$200	$870
Coggins Memorial	C	15	22	653	466	158	165	159	120	59	46	$769,885	$19,039	$12,201	$53,555
Colonial Bapt	C	12	30	313	144	118	110	0	63	36	27	$303,591	$20,835	$5,209	$34,997
Denton First	C	8	1	368	175	86	103	10	20	30	0	$257,920	$8,856	$4,429	$101,331
Faith Bapt Ch	C	9	1	168	75	57	0	51	25	25	13	$50,842	$750	$600	$5,170
Floyd Bapt Ch	C	0	0	110	40	27	50	0	20	0	0	$22,763	$560	$400	$4,423
Friendship-Ledford Community															
Greenwood	C	4	5	426	210	123	141	0	122	51	53	$221,888	$5,555	$2,750	$19,231
Hasty Bapt Ch	C	0	0	231	45	35	0	0	15	0	0	$77,819	$4,150	$710	$5,742
High Rock Bapt	C	7	0	75	31	18	0	0	10	0	0	$8,905	$50	$200	$250
Hillside Park Bapt	C	8	8	327	150	126	120	0	71	18	8	$252,054	$0	$1,300	$4,749
Holloways Bapt	C	0	0	197	115	69	94	0	20	24	12	$97,650	$10,915	$2,729	$19,674
Jersey Bapt Ch	C	5	8	500	248	195	130	114	99	148	28	$365,271	$20,100	$5,250	$65,305
Lakeview Bapt	C	5	10	168	36	19	81	0	5	5	0	$31,290	$1,216	$305	$2,989
Lexington First	C	9	14	915	584	242	211	0	164	112	16	$924,788	$16,330	$7,000	$162,456
Liberty	C	8	3	719	144	120	106	16	17	34	54	$163,491	$646	$126	$4,588
Lick Creek	C	2	5	99	63	42	70	0	19	15	0	$41,128	$506	$275	$5,503
Mills Home Bapt	C	8	0	1,000	102	75	0	80	80	0	0	$2,800	$0	$0	$0
Mision Bautista Hispana	M														
Mision Bautista Hispana	M														

Congregation Summary

Liberty

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CONGREGATION	C/M	3	4	1	15	16	18	DTEN	21	23	24	TRE	29	30	TME
Mountain View Bapt	C														
New Friendship Bapt	C	15	13	550	218	175	145	15	66	0	30	$334,595	$18,751	$6,636	$51,428
North Davidson Community	M														
North Lexington Bapt	C	4	5	299	189	163	155	5	55	57	20	$286,643	$21,789	$1,100	$30,957
Oak Hill Memorial	C	0	5	307	124	4	50	74	37	26	20	$223,264	$2,160	$6,300	$15,723
Oakhurst Bapt Ch	C														
Park Place Bapt Ch	C	5	0	483	253	140	123	52	68	47	40	$253,586	$12,767	$4,256	$26,671
Reeds Bapt Ch	C	3	4	530	368	167	142	8	49	69	23	$677,302	$32,141	$9,712	$52,852
Rich Fork Bapt Ch	C	65	27	1,308	1,074	473	234	348	300	178	0	$1,149,159	$53,000	$3,750	$69,950
Sanctuary Baptist Church	C														
Smith Grove Bapt	C	2	2	407	144	89	110	0	28	48	26	$124,628	$8,684	$2,063	$29,370
Southgate Bapt	C	3	9	526	187	89	81	154	41	27	15	$199,489	$4,889	$4,542	$14,672
Southside	C	4	0	343	83	60	81	0	34	31	20	$146,946	$12,015	$3,604	$20,611
Stoner's Grove	C	13	16	300	109	76	83	0	48	18	39	$44,440	$6,600	$1,500	$14,498
Summerville Bapt Ch	C	4	1	431	168	113	166	47	49	46	47	$207,359	$12,759	$4,253	$24,987
Thomasville First	C	7	0	519	180	89	72	35	49	61	0	$254,043	$7,223	$3,546	$20,664
Trinity	C	3	3	149	82	41	47	9	10	24	3	$89,123	$4,090	$2,304	$15,533
Victory Bapt Ch	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	$0	$0	$0	$0
Wallburg Bapt Ch	C	13	6	390	214	107	112	29	16	104	25	$220,918	$6,000	$2,500	$14,834
Welcome First	C	15	16	872	512	297	300	180	140	109	33	$692,204	$54,196	$13,546	$108,748
Total:		300	261	16,715	8,066	4,454	4,077	2,120	2,229	1,808	826	$10,235,557	$439,603	$142,287	$1,264,282

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